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WILL STAND SECOND

LAST NIGHT'S VICTORY GIVES THE NORMAL A HIGH POSITION.

WON FROM TARKIO, 25-22

Game Closer Than Expected, But Second Half Turns Score In Favor of the Home Boys.

The Bearcats again defeated the fast Tarkio five in the last game of their season, at the Normal gymnasium, by a score of 25 to 22. This victory gives them a high place in present standings of the teams. Springfield now has four games to play and if they should lose two of them, post-season games might be necessary to decide the championship. Springfield recently defeated Drury, by a margin of two or three points and no one knows what Drury might do to them. Anyway second place is the Normals no matter how these other games come out. Normal followers are hoping that Springfield will drop several games and enable the Bearcats to win the pennant.

The game was much closer than was expected. Predictions were freely made that Tarkio would be beaten by five or ten points. Tarkio had their best line-up in the game last night. The Bearcats took the lead in the first few minutes of play but it was soon cut down by the free throws of Huddle, the Tarkio center. The game was hard fought and rough, personal fouls being called several times. The half ended with the Normal rooters anything but jubilant, for the score stood 15 to 11 in favor of Tarkio.

The second half started with a rush, the Bearcats playing hard to cut down the Tarkio lead. They played so well that Tarkio was able to throw only two field goals while the Bearcats threw seven. During this period the game was played almost exclusively in Normal territory. Many fouls were called during the game, fifteen or sixteen being called on the Normal and nine on Tarkio. "Chido" Scott was again off on throwing free throws, getting only three out of seven tries, while Huddle, for Tarkio, threw twelve out of fifteen or sixteen tries. The score at the end of the game stood 25 to 22 in favor of the Bearcats.

"Dad" Scarlett was the star of the game. His floor work was excellent, and he threw three field goals, while he allowed his opponent only one. "Gimlet" and "Chido" played fine games as did Garard and Wells. For the first time this season in a conference game, Wells threw a field goal. He has played a fine game at guard holding his opponents down well.

"Dad" Scarlett and "Gimlet" also tried a free throw apiece but neither succeeded.

All the Tarkio players played fine games, Younger, Glenn and Huddle each getting one field goal, while Brown at guard, threw two. Huddle, the center, threw a goal from near the center position

The line-ups of the teams were:—Bearcats, "Chido" and "Gimlet" Scott, forwards; "Agnes" Garard, center; "Dad" Scarlett and "Charlie" Wells, guards. Tarkio—Younger and Glenn, forwards; Huddle, center; Whitnell, and Brown, guards.

The goals thrown were: "Chido" Scott, 3; "Gimlet" Scott, 3; Garard, 1; "Dad" Scarlett, 3; Wells, 1; Younger, 1; Glenn, 1; Huddle, 1; Brown, 2.

Free throws: Huddle, 12 out of 16 tries; "Chido" Scott, 3 out of 7 tries. Weidline of Atchison, Kan., refereed.

Results of voting contest at the FERN THEATRE at the close of the performance Friday night, Feb. 23:

Ethel Wells	1700
Fay Myers	1450
Maybird Parrish	1170
Marie Levacy	1100
Mrs. Arch Frank	1070

Civil Service Examination.

The civil service examination for the position of postmaster at Ravenwood is being held at the post office building today. Seven applicants are trying for the position, left vacant by the resignation of L. L. King. They are: George Row, Leonard Hawley, O. R. Kirkbride, Frank Powell, E. H. Sims, Mrs. Pernelia Rhoades and J. J. Smith. The office pays $849.

Dr. Stinson to Oklahoma.

Dr. H. L. Stinson leaves tomorrow morning for Shawnee, Okla., where he will be the guest of his mother, Mrs. N. B. Haney, for a few days.

MARYVILLE BOY WINS MEDAL

Harold Ryan Takes Second Place in High Jump at the Meet at Washington, D. C.

At the indoor track meet of the South Atlantic association, held at Washington, D. C., February 14, Harold Ryan, son of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan of Maryville and a student of the Catholic University of America, at Washington won the silver medal and second place in the high jump against a handicap of three and one-half inches, making the highest actual jump in the meet.

John Hopkins, the Catholic University of America, Princeton and the University of Pennsylvania took the honors in the order named

SENATE FAVORS SCHOOL TAX

Passes Amendment Making Special Levy of Fifteen Cents on the $100 Valuation.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Feb 24.—Without a dissenting vote the senate yesterday passed Senator Cook's measure submitting a constitutional amendment making a special levy of fifteen cents on the $100 valuation for support of the public schools. If the measure meets with the approval of the House it will be submitted to a vote of the people at the next general election. The purpose of the act is double. It would give more to the public schools than they now receive, and at the same time it would relieve the revenue fund from support for the school. One-third of all the general revenue, about $1,900,000, now goes to support the schools, and this is the heaviest single drain on the revenue fund. A direct tax of fifteen cents for the benefit of the schools would produce about 2½ million dollars a year under the present valuation of the state.

This is the first Senate measure that has finally been disposed of so far as the Senate is concerned.

TORPEDO PLANT EXPLODES.

Bartlesville, Okla., Feb. 24. — The plant of the American Torpedo Company near here, was blown up this morning. Several hundred quarts of nitro-glycerine exploded, wrecking the country side. One man's legs were blown off.

Judge Dawson to Fairfax.

The Atchison county circuit court will convene Monday, March 5, with Judge John M. Dawson in charge, for the first time. Ed G. Frazier will appear as prosecuting attorney, Bernard Altman, clerk; Jonas Feighner, sheriff; and A. A. Brewer, stenographer.—Fairfax Forum.

Mrs. W. R. Joel and little daughter, Wilma, of Richards, Mo., are in Maryville visiting at the home of Mrs. Joel's sister, Mrs. G. H. Westfall.

John Moffit and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen of Conception are in Maryville today.

FERN TONIGHT—

The World Film Corporation presents a photoplay production of Chas. E. Blarney's famous melodrama of the Spanish American War, entitled,

"Across the Pacific"

in 5 acts. "Willie Live," "You D—ern right he will"—a war correspondent for the "San Francisco Echo"—demonstrates to the American soldier that it is possible to defeat a large squad of Spanish soldiers with the aid of a gattling gun.

See Willie do this — Also a one-reel comedy entitled, "MASHES and SPLASHES," and a one reel comedy, Weber & Fields in "MIKE and LOUIE GOES FISHING."

5c and 10c 5c and 10c

200 AT LECTURE

HOME OWNERS HEAR PROFESSOR MAJORS ON PLANTING.

HIS TALK WAS PRACTICAL

He Took Up City Problems, Pointed Out Various Remedies for Common Mistakes In Home Planting.

Plant a border of trees and shrubs around the lawn.

Leave an open space on the lawn.

Plant shrubs close to the house in order to conceal the foundation.

Place the walk or driveway on one side and that on the least desirable side of the lawn.

These and many other interesting things were what the 200 persons heard who attended the lecture given at the High School auditorium by Prof. Horace Majors, landscape architect of the University of Missouri.

Professor Majors' talk was intensely practical. He talked not about the cities of other states but about those of our own state, and he even had some slides showing places in Maryville that met with his commendation or his disapproval. He told his audience that he had not come here to criticize, but that he would point out the defects with a view to aiding in their correction.

He discussed the approach of the city and suggested plans for improving road-ways, water-ways and railroad stations. He laid particular stress on the necessity of eliminating the dangerous railroad crossing by substituting elevated or submerged crossings.

"Missouri roads in the future are going to be hard surfaced," said Professor Majors, "and for this reason the great need will be for shade. Carefully selected trees planted with discretion will mean a great saving to travelers both as to eyesight and to general health. It is an acknowledged fact that trees keep the air moist and also do great work in absorbing the carbon dioxide from it."

Several views were shown to give an idea of possibilities in making the heart of the city attractive. One picture was of the Maryville court house. Prof. Majors suggested that the removing of the hitching racks would add materially to the appearance of Maryville's public square. He said, however, that the city should provide a suitable place where horses and wagons might be kept while out-of-town people did their trading.

The problem of making a real home occupied a greater part of the landscape artist's talk. He showed slides of homes where planting had been used to good advantage, and then contrasted them with other homes where the use of trees and shrubs had been overdone.

"A house is an artificial addition to the landscape," explained Mr. Majors. "The problem of making a house a real home is to fit it in with the landscape to soften the corners and to mellow its tones by the judicious use of plants and shrubs."

In the planting of trees on lawns, Professor Majors gave four "don'ts" that all home owners should bear in mind:

Don't have a flower bed in the middle of the lawn.

Don't scatter shrubs and trees over the lawn like shoe buttons.

Don't have a Tea's Weeping Mulberry tree in your yard. These belong in the cemetery.

Don't plant red flowers, such as salvia, against a red brick wall.

GAINS FOR THE ALLIES.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—Gains for the Allies on both the Somme and the Verdun fronts were announced today by the German war office.

Chairman For Peace League.

James Todd, editor of the Democrat-Forum, was chosen chairman of Nodaway county for the Missouri Branch of the League to Enforce ePace at the meeting at Jefferson City, Thursday.

Doctor Burris Honored.

Dr. W. F. Burris, district superintendent of the First Methodist church was elected president of the Board of Trustees at Missouri-Wesleyan College at Cameron last week. Doctor Burris says that the money for the new building has been raised by the people of Cameron that the architect and supervisor of buildings have been employed and that work on the new building will begin at once.

WILL INDICT MEN

THE FOOD MANIPULATORS WILL ANSWER TO DEPT OF JUSTICE.

WILSON SUPPORTS MOVE

Says There Is No Reason For High Prices of Food, And For the Fuel Shortage.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The wholesale indictment of alleged food manipulators by the Department of Justice is forecasted today. It was learned that at a cabinet meeting yesterday the President made it very plain that he was convinced that there was no reason for the high prices of food, especially as the shortage of both food and fuel was utterly inexcusable.

WILL TAKE OATH SUNDAY

President Wilson Will Have Private Ceremony on March 4—Will Make Address On Monday.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Plans for President Wilson's inauguration, hitherto indefinite and confused because March 4 falls on Sunday, were much cleared today by official announcement that the usual special session of the senate will be called for March 5 to consider nominations. This will permit the inauguration of the vice-president in the senate chamber, as is the custom, with all the attendant elaborate ceremonies.

President Wilson himself, it was also announced, will take an oath of office privately in the White House Sunday, March 4. It was not made clear whether he has decided to take the oath again at the public open air ceremonies on the plaza at the capitol on March 5, or whether he will merely make the ceremony the occasion for delivering his inaugural address.

SCHUMANN-HEINK INJURED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Feb. 24.—Madame Schumann-Heink, the famous contralto, was seriously injured here today when a street car struck ataxicab in which she was riding.

LEAVES PROPERTY TO WIFE.

Clark Andrews' Will Filed in Probate Court Today.

The property of Clark Andrews, who died February 16, it all left to his wife, Louisa M. Andrews, until her death or re-marriage. In either case the property is to be equally divided among the children.

These are the terms of Mr. Andrews' will, which was filed in probate court today, and which is dated January 23, 1896. He names Mrs. Andrews executrix of his will.

KANSAS STEEL PLANT BURNS.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 24.—The plant of the Steel Fixture Manufacturing Company was destroyed by fire this morning with a loss of $250,000.

"THE FREEDOM OF THE SEAS."

—Donahey in Cleveland Plain Dealer.

COUNTY TAX LIST READY

Assessed Valuation of Personal Property Was $3,589,661 — Real Estate $11,984,900.

The total assessed valuation of the personal property in Nodaway county from June 1916, made for taxing purposes in 1917, was $3,589,661, according to the report just completed in the office of County Clerk Fred Yeomans.

The total assessed valuation of real estate in the county was $11,984,900.

The personal property is divided as follows and has the following valuation:

15,291 horses valued at $586,706; average valuation $38.36; 3,088 mules, valued at $139,520; average valuation, $45.16; 44,687 cattle at $650,496; avcrage valuation, $14.55; 5,999 sheep at $7,813; average valuation, $1.39; 33,956 hogs, at $95,084; avrage valuation, $2.80; all other livestock, 468, valued at $8,710. Money, notes and bonds, $1,174,561. All other personal property, $557,505. Bank stock assessed, less real estate, $469,266.

The real estate assessed was as follows: 553,509.39 acres with an average of $17.93. Town lots valued at $2,056,625.

AUSTRIA WILL BACK GERMANY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, Feb. 24.—Austria will back the German submarines in their warfare, regardless of the consequences, says a dispatch from Munich today, quoting a newspaper.

Mrs. Nelle Alden will go to Pickering to spend Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Young.

H. S. LOSES TO ALBANY

Puts Up Game Fight, But Makes Only 21 Points to Their Opponents' 35.

The High School team put up a game fight in the game at Albany last night but was defeated by a score of 35-21. The game was much closer than was expected, as the same team defeated Maryville here by 23 points. When it is remembered that the team was playing on a strange court last night and that the men were not in the best of condition, the team must be praised for holding their opponents to a fourteen point lead.

The game was slow and rough. Nineteen fouls were called on Albany and twelve on Maryville. Wier of St. Joseph was the referee. Eleven of Albany's points were turned into points for Maryville, Egley tossing in eight and Holmes three. Egley and Martin made all of the field goals for Maryville, Egley caging four and Martin one.

The team started the game with the regular line-up. About five minutes before the end of the game Condon was substituted for Egley and Pickens for Martin.

The last game of the trip will be played tonight at King City, and the team will return home Sunday. The result of tonight's game may be had by calling the Democrat-Forum after 10 o'clock.

GIVE OUT NEW ARMY PLAN

War Department Makes Public Universal Service and Training to Be Effective Soon.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The war department yesterday made public a synopsis of the army general staff universal service and training plan, which was also sent to congress with estimates of cost and a detailed outline for a bill to carry it into effect.

The main essentials of the plan are:

One year of military training for all boys in their nineteenth year, except those exempted for specified reasons.

Exemption to be extended to those physically or mentally unfit and those who are the sole support of otherwise destitute dependents.

Training to consist of eleven months during the first year and two weeks during the second and third years of a reservist's liability.

War service to be required of all who have been trained in the first and second reserve, the first reserve duty to extend over a period of four years and one month after training, and second reserve duty for seven years. At the conclusion of service in organized reserve, the men would remain liable for duty until they reach the age of forty-five

In case of war the reserves would be called out in their order, but further exemptions of a temporary character would be granted to those who have become the sole support of destitute dependents, after training had been completed, and those whose position in civil branches of federal or state government are indispensable to the conduct of war.

AN EXTRA SESSION

THE REPUBLICAN LEADERS WILL ATTEMPT TO FORCE ONE.

RESENT WILSON'S STAND

Are Angry Because He Does Not Inform Them of Progress of International Affairs.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 24.—That the International crisis may become a football of politics was the opinion freely expressed in administration circles today. The leading Republican senators admit that they desire to force an extra session while followers of the President insist that he is prepared to make any sacrifice to get Congress off his hands. Members of both houses are dividing into camps with the result that while three weeks ago the President had almost the whole of Congress behind him, today the contrary is the case. The situation is due in part to the President's failure to inform Congress of the progress of international affairs.

Republicans Won't Give In.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The Republican fillibuster against the Administration emergency bill in the senate shows no signs of abatement today. Both sides are prepared to make a fight for their way. The leaders had their cots made up and were prepared to spend the night at the capitol if necessary.

Will Move Munition Factories.

Washington, Feb. 24.—With the president ready to appear before Congress to ask additional power to cope with the international situation growing out of Germany's submarine warfare, the official announcement came today that the work of standardizing the industrial plants already offered for the use of the government in case of need, was nearing completion, and whether war comes or not, it was definitely decided that the munition factories of the country must be moved inland.

160 SHIPS LOST UP TO FEB. 1.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Feb. 24.—The British steamship, Grenadier, has been sunk with a loss of seven lives. Lloyds also announced that the steamer, Trojan Prince, was also destroyed by a submarine. This brings the total score to February 1 up to 160. Another announcement was made of the loss of seven Dutch ships that were sunk by submarines. It is believed that the crews escaped.

THREE NORWEGIAN SHIPS SUNK.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—The sinking of three Norwegian ships by German submarines was officially reported today. From competent sources it was also learned that there has not been a German submarine sunk since the ruthless warfare began.

RAIDER IN INDIAN OCEAN.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Tokio, Feb. 24.—A german sea raider, invading the Indian Ocean, has already sunk at least two ships, both British, say the Japanese newspapers.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; rising temperature Sunday and northwest and extreme northeast portions tonight.

NOTICE, G. A. R.

Members of G. A. R. and old soldiers are requested to meet at the post rooms Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock, to attend morning service at Christian church.

J. D. Dickerson, S. V.

Notice—

Having purchased the E. W. Ryks Plumbing Company we earnestly solicit the patronage of his old customers, we also appeal to our friends for their patronage.

TINDALL and SMITH Plumbing Company.

Plenty of Fun for the Men but None for the Girls, Says She.

The Maryville Commercial Club has been requested by a young woman of Maryville to aid the young women of the town in devising some means by which they may spend their spare hours in a pleasant manner. She complains that there are plenty of places where men may amuse themselves, but none are provided for women. Here is her letter:

"Manager of Maryville Commercial Club, Maryville, Mo.

"Dear sir:—I wish to ask for your information and assistance in regard to starting a place of all kinds of intertainment for the young ladies of Maryville. There are no kind of amusements for the young ladies of Maryville except the skating rink, dance halls and picture shows.

Some think it a disgrace to be seen dancing or skating and they soon get tired of attending picture shows. There is the billard room, pool halls and the bowling alley for the young men. It is not right to have so many amusement places for the young men and nothing for the young ladies.

It could be arranged that these young ladies could be members of this place and each one pay so much a month and charge the ones that would not be members so much for admittance. Or else have someone put up the money and charge every young lady for admittance. Let it be allowed that the young ladies may take their gentlemen friends with them instead of walking the town of Maryville or staying in a room at home together Then there would be better young people in this town.

For the amusements have music, games, card playing and dancing for the ones that dance. Hive the opening hours from 3:30 until 6:00 and from 7:30 until 10:00. Appoint some elderly lady to keep order and watch to see that there is nothing taking place that is not proper.

I am a young business girl, have lived here for ten years, and think it is time something is started for the young ladies. I will not sign my name to this but if the Commercial Club will help the young ladies get a start with it, I will be glad to appear before the officers and talk it over with them.

If you consider this, publish a piece in the Saturday's Democrat-Forum about it. I will get a paper and if I see anything in it about this I will appear at the Commercial Club room some time Monday."

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FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Lucian F. Yowell as a candidate for assessor of Polk township on the Democratic ticket subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Ed F. Hamlin for assessor of Polk Township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Henry M. Souers for assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of L. L. Holbrook for assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector for Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

C. L. GANN.

FOR COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of B. M. Chandler for Collector for Polk township, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector for White Cloud Township, subject to the action of the Republican township convention

LEE C. BURNS.

FOR TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of John Halasey for town ship trustee for Polk township, subject to the decision of the Democrati convention.

FOR CONSTABLE.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of W. A. Townsend for constable of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

A GOOD ROADS ARGUMENT

Fire Threatens to Burn Up Business Section of Town — Highways Saved It.

A new argument for good roads was recently furnished by a severe fire at Jersey Shore, Pa. This fire threatened to burn up the business section of the town, for the local water-works furnished water under a pressure inadequate to fight a real conflagration.

The town's fire department, supplemented by companies from the neighboring towns could do little because of this low pressure. Help was summoned from the city of Williamsport, sixteen miles distant, and in thirty-eight minutes after the call was received, a large automobile engine from that place had reached the scene and its powerful pumps saved the town.

In the old days of horse drawn equipment it would have been necessary to take the engine to the railroad track, load it on a car, hunt up a locomotive, make the run over the railway as well as the train service would permit and then unload the equipment at the place needing help. All this might possibly be done in 38 minutes, but there is very little probability of it.

Under the new conditions, a road may be the means of saving a burning town; if bad, it delays the needed help, and if good it means safety. In the Pennsylvania case the read was not a good one and it was not a bad one, either. About half a mile has been improved, but the remainder is nothing but a hard shale road kept in as good condition as possible with the materials at hand.

The maintenance of the road, says a bulletin of the American Highway association, is what saved Jersey Shore from greater loss, for persons familiar with fire-fighting agree that every minute saved in checking the spread of a conflagration is equivalent to the saving of a large financial loss.—American City.

STATE NEWS.

Springfield, Feb. 24.—The Springfield Automobile show closed its three-day exhibit at Convention hall today. The show was a big success, hundreds of visitors from towns within a radius of 100 miles of this city having witnessed the exhibit.

SOLD FOR $523 A HEAD.

Cameron, Feb. 24.—One hundred and sixty-five Hereford cattle were sold for $86,275, or $523 a head, on the farm of J. E. Logan here.

ISSUES CALL FOR AVIATORS.

St. Louis, Feb. 24.—Following receipt of authorization from the government at Washington, Commander C. F. Schwartz of the Missouri Naval Reserve has issued a call for aviators. He has been authorized to send a certain number to the government aviation field for instruction in the art of flying.

MANY LIQUOR HOUSES TO CLOSE.

Kansas City, Feb. 24.—Dozens of local and other Western Missouri liquor mail order houses will be forced to shut down when the Reed "bone dry" liquor bill, now awaiting President's signature, becomes a law, it was freely predicted here today.

Since Colorado, Oklahoma and Kansas went into the "dry" column, local liquor dealers have supplied these three states. Kansas City dealers have shipped millions of dollars worth of liquor yearly into prohibition states.

SPRINGFIELD CHAPT. CELEBRATE

Springfield, Feb. 24.—The Springfield chapter of the Sons of the Revolution were to hold its annual banquet at the Springfield club tonight. Members of the Rachel-Donelson chapter of the Daughters of the American revolution are to be the guests of honor.

Dr. James W. Shannon of the State Normal school will deliver the principal address of the evening.

FOURTH NOW AT FORT RILEY.

Will Remain at Station About Six Days Says the Commanders.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

Fort Riley, Kan., Feb. 24.—The Fourth Missouri infantry, from Laredo, Tex., detrained here early yesterday and went into quarters at the military reservation preparatory to demobilization. The Fourth was the last unit of the Missouri troops to leave the border.

Mustering out officers, after having talked to the regimental commanders, reduced to six days the length of time they expected the Missouri regiment to remain here. The change was based upon reports that the men had been examined physically and much of the government property checked over before the regiment left the border.

Secretary E. M. Claypool received word today from Prof. T. B. Maulding that the Fourth Regiment band would leave for home about March 1. There will be about twenty-five boys in the party that comes to Maryville for the celebration.

The illuminated flag is now in position in the balcony of the court house and will be lighted every evening until after the celebration is over.

Byergo Baby Dies.

Harold Afton, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Byergo, was born February 17, 1917.

The home he had come to brighten and the hearts that were to be made happy were so soon left in sadness and sorrow by his short stay. Funeral services Sunday at the M E Church, South, presided over by Rev. O. E. Lockart, with burial at Graves cemetery.—Guilford Times.

David Cornett Announces.

David Cornett wishes to announce his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for constable, subject to the wishes of his party at the next election.

Miss Bessie Bryden of Macon, arrived in Maryville last night to visit for a few days with Miss Mary Heffner.

Margaret Heffern of Parnell will visit over Sunday with Miss Hazel Miller.

S. A. Black of Drummond, Idaho, is spending a few days the guest of W. W. Davenport of near Quitman.

Mrs. John Herron has returned from Palestine, Tex., where she has been spending the winter.

Sam Hutchison and G. S. Sewell of Graham are in Maryville today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lanning of Hopkins are in Maryville on business today.

D. E. Hotchkin went to Skidmore today on business.

Will Linville of Skidmore is a Maryville visitor today.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ Scientist.

First Reader, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend.

Second Reader, Mrs. George Pickens.

206 South Main street.

Sunday school at 9:45.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock.

Subject of lesson sermon, "Mind."

No Sunday night service.

Midweek prayer services at 8 o'clock Wednesday night.

Reading room in Michau building, over Townsend grocery. Open from 2 till 5 o'clock on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

Every one welcome to the reading room and to all the services.

First Baptist.

T. H. Wiles, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Morning worship at 11.

Sermon subject, "Evolution of Grace."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.

Evening services at 7:30.

Sermon subject, "Devolution of Sin."

First Methodist.

Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Morning worship at 10:45.

Sermon subject, "A Servant and His Master."

Epworth League at 6:30.

Evening service at 7:30.

Sermon subject, "Where Christianity Fails."

There will be special music at both services by the chorus choir.

First Christian.

C. Emerson Miller, paster.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Morning service at 10:45.

Quartet, "The Messiah of Nations."

Offertory, "We hold in Grateful Memory." (John Phillip Sousa).

Anthem, "Recessional," (Reginald De Koven).

Sermon, "Washington and Patriotism," the pastor.

Christian Endeavor at 6:45.

Evening service at 7:30.

Anthem, "Awake My Soul to Joyful Lays."

Offertory anthem, "The Savior's Invitation" (Challinor).

Sermon, "The Parable of the Faithless Wives," the pastor.

First Presbyterian.

S. A. Coile, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45.

Morning worship at 11.

Sermon subject, "Pay Me That Thou Owest."

The C. C. Circle will meet at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Christian Endeavor at 6:45.

Evening Worship at 7:30.

Sermon subject, "The Crisis."

Solo, Mrs. E. T. Rasmussen.

South Methodist Church.

R. C. Holliday, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Morning worship, 10:45.

Sermon subject, "St. Paul's Vision."

Epworth League at 6:30.

Evening service at 7:30.

Sermon by pastor.

Every member of the church is urged to be present at the morning service.

St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Rev. Father Odilo, O. S. B., pastor.

First mass at 8:00.

High mass at 10:00.

Afternoon service, rosary and benediction at 2:30.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor.

First mass at 8:00.

High mass at 10:30.

Evening services, devotions and benediction, at 7:30.

PROTEST SOFT DRINK TAX

Missouri Manufacturers Appear Before Ways and Means Committee Against Latest Measure.

Jefferson City, Feb. 24.—Missouri soft drink manufacturers appeared befort the House Ways and Means committee this week to voice their protest against the bill providing for a tax on non-intoxicating beverages. At the same time the committee will take up the Carrington bill, a companion of the soft drink measure introduced in the Senate by Walter Goodson, and which to some extent, eliminates the provisions which the manufacturers have declared confiscatory.

It is generally predicted that the original bills calling for a tax on soft drinks will not be passed as introduced at the Governor's request. In addition, members of the senate and house declare that they have no desire to pass a measure which might be thrown out in court on the ground of confiscation.

WHEN YOU USE

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in the drinking water. It is a germicide and antiseptic as well as a tonic. It destroys the dangerous disease germs, soothes and heals the inflamed membranes. Try it on our guarantee.

The contents of this package is "MADE TO SATISFY" If it fails your dealer is authorized to refund your money. The Wolf Chemical Co.

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MARYVILLE, MO.

Is God Your Friend? Then Visit His Home. Go to Church.

WATCH the long line of people entering church on Sunday. Isn't it a fact that they are really the worth while people in the community? If you are a business man, don't you prefer dealing with a man who is a CONSISTENT CHURCHGOER rather than with a man who never goes to church? You wouldn't hesitate to INVITE ANY AND ALL OF THESE PEOPLE entering church to your home.

A MAN WHO GOES TO CHURCH CANNOT GO WRONG VERY LONG. A COMMON EXPRESSION IS THAT SOME PEOPLE GO TO CHURCH TO KEEP UP APPEARANCES. THAT MAY BE TRUE. BUT THE FACT THAT A MAN WANTS THE COMMUNITY IN WHICH HE LIVES TO THINK THAT HE IS GOOD AND GOD FEARING SHOWS THAT HE WANTS TO BE GOOD. HE WANTS TO ENJOY THE RESPECT OF HIS FELLOWS. WHILE THERE MAY BE SOME HYPOCRITES IN THE CHURCH, IT IS NO EXAGGERATION TO STATE THAT THE GREAT MAJORITY OF CHURCHGOERS ARE HONEST, UPRIGHT CITIZENS.

There is something basically wrong with a man who, while professing a belief in a Supreme Being, fails to take the opportunity the church affords to WORSHIP THAT SUPREME BEING. If you have a dear friend and you pass his house every day without dropping in to see him, you would not blame that man for DOUBTING THE SINCERITY of your friendship.

Do you wish God to DOUBT YOUR FRIENDSHIP? Do you want to LOSE HIM AS A FRIEND. If you don't, drop into his house AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK.

Show that you are sincere in your belief in God by GOING TO CHURCH next Sunday.

THEN GO TO CHURCH EVERY SUNDAY.

HAS VALUABLE COLLECTION

J. C. Piper of Elmo Has Rare Coin and Paper Money Which is Valued At $1,250.

J. C. Piper of Elmo, a coin and stamp collector writes that he now has a collection of coins and paper money valued at $1,250. It contains the following United States coins and paper money:

Forty-three silver dollars of different dates from 1795 to 1873.

Twelve trade dollars of different dates, 1872 to 1884.

Fourteen different 50-cent pieces dated from 1795 to 1839.

Forty-two different 25-cent pieces of different dates, 1805 to 1859.

Twenty-cent pieces of four different dates.

Dimes from 1805 to 1837.

Very rare 5-cent pieces of ten different dates, value $2.50.

Silver 3-cent pieces of ten different dates.

Three-cent nickel pieces.

Two-cent pieces, nine different dates.

Twenty different half-cent pieces dated from 1794 to 1857.

Sixty large cents from 1794 to 1855. He also has sixteen different Colonial coins issued by the colonial states from 1765 to 1791, valued at $86.50.

His collection of foreign coins contains the following:

Eighteen foreign coins the size of our silver dollar, from eighteen different countries.

Fifty foreign copper coins of all countries.

One hundred and fifty silver coins from all foreign countries.

Besides these, Mr. Piper has Colonial and foreign paper money and some fractional currency. He has state bank bills of seventy-five varieties and from about twenty-two different states.

LIFE IS A MIRROR.

For life is a mirror of king and slave,
'Tis just what we are and do,
Then give to the world the best that you have
And the best will come to you.

Neils are Moving.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neil will move to Perry, Okla., next week. They recently sold thier farm and will move to a farm located near Perry.

SAVE THE PIECES

We can duplicate a broken lense, no matter where you purchased your glasses.

Just a small piece of the broken lense and we can duplicate it, giving you exactly the same correction as you had before

In case you lost the entire lense, we still could fit a new one. Our Optician could tell you the proper lense you should wear and immediately put it in.

Save Time and Trouble—BUY IT IN MARYVILLE!!!!

THE HOLMES Jewelry Company

MARYVILLE, MO.
WEST SIDE SQUARE

T. J. Smith of Bethany will arrive in Maryville tonight to visit his sister, Mrs. James Colvin.

Big Profits In Automobile Stocks

JUST THINK what it means to have been one of the fortunate investors who bought stock in the big companies of today when they first organized!

You did not have the opportunity you say, but, would you have had the foresight and courage to buy? It is more than likely you would have said, "I will wait to see if they succeed." Now that they have succeeded, what about the price and profit you will have to pay the original investor for his stock? For instance, see what the man who bought $100.00 worth of Reo stock has received in cash and stock dividends.

He receives $1,136.00 in cash and $1,100.00 in stock on the $100.00 originally invested. The man who had the courage five years ago to buy Paige-Detroit stock can sell his stock today at a rice, which, with the dividends received, will show a return of $2,300.00 on $100.00 originally invested.

You say, "Yes, but that day is gone." Not so, the day for big profits is ahead and not behind us. **The automobile manufacturer today has the advantage of the mistakes made by the pioneers in the business.** Almost all automobile manufacturers buy some of their parts, and many purchase all their parts and assemble their cars. Such is the case with the Macon Car. The Timken Axles, Wagner Starter, Stewart-Warner Vacuum Feed, Zenith Carburetor and Sterling Motor, as well as all other parts used in the Macon Car, are guaranteed by the manufacturers.

Reo Stock Purchased in 1914

Amount	Stock	Cash Dividend	Stock Dividend
1905—$	100	$ 10.00	$
1905—	100	37.50	50.00
1907—	150	136.50	50.00
1908—	200	160.00	
1909—	200	120.00	200.00
1910—	400	120.00	
1911—	400	12.00	
1912—	400	80.00	
1913—	400	40.00	
1914—	400	150.00	200.00
1915—	600	210.00	
1916—	600	60.00	600.00
1917—	1-200	$1,136.00	$1,100.00

The Macon Car was designed by O. E. Berthel, one of the best known engineers in the United States, the man who designed the first automobile operated on the streets of Detroit. The Macon is a big, roomy car, 114 inch wheel base and standard construction throughout. The demand for popular priced cars of the Macon type has never been filled and is now farther ahead of the supply than ever before.

Officers and Management

The Macon Motor Car Co. is officered and managed by the leading and best known business men of Macon, Missouri. It is incorporated under the rigid laws of Missouri which afford excellent safeguards for the inestor.

Factory

The factory is located in Mocon, Missouri, at the crossing of the Wabash and C. B. & Q. railroads, covering almost a city block, has a floor space of 110,000 square feet and sufficient vacant property to double this amount. The factory is being equipped with the most modern machinery which will make it the best automobile factory west of Detroit.. Contracts for parts for cars placed with the parts manufacturers and specified delivery dates for these parts are secured by cash deposits.

The product for 1917 is practically sold to the co-operative body of agents who are all stockholders.

A Production Manager, Purchasing Agent, Chassis Assembly Foreman, in fact, competent heads for all departments have been secured from the leading automobile factories in Detroit and are now hard at work to secure sufficient out put for sales by the agents, from whom each mail brings the cry for cars.

The Macon Motor Car Co. has only a little over $200,000.00 of their $600,000.00 capitalization to offer to the public. The money realized from the sale of stock will be used in purchasing parts and paying for cost of assembling the cars.

Missouri Charter

This is strictly a Missouri enterprise and means that we can keep within our borders a large amount paid out for cars as well as the profits made thereon.

Buy Macon Stock at $15.00 per share now. We have alloted only 500 shares to your county **so that you must act at once. We reserve the right to decline any subscription or to advance the price without notice. "The measures of a man is his capacity for grasping the opportunities fate puts in his way."**

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Macon, Missouri.

I enclose $.....in full ayment for .....shares of stock in Macon Motor Car Co., at $15.00 er share)par value $10.00) fully paid and non-assessable.

Name .....
Street .....
City and State .....

FILL OUT AND MAIL TODAY.

Macon Motor Car Company: A-7.
Macon, Missouri.

Please send me further particulars and advise me how I can secure an interest in the Macon Motor Car Co.—if satisfied with my investigation I might invest $.....

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Street .....
City and State .....

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Stills Entertain.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Still entertained with a two-course dinner in honor of Mr. Still's sixty-sixth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Still was assisted by her granddaughter, Miss Minnie Mayes. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mike Still and Mrs. Fred Fox, of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. James Mayes, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Still, Morgan Still, Everett Still, Ray Still, Cecil Mayes, Buster Fox, Misses Minnie, Lillie Hollie, Nina and Opal Mayes, and Katherine Still.

Surprise For Mr. Porterfield.

Mrs. George Porterfield planned and successfully carried out a surprise in honor of Mr. Porterfield's fifty-sixth birthday anniversary. A short program was given by the Social Hour club after which progressive "42" was played, the highest number of games being won by Omar Strong and the least number by X. A. Lincoln. Refreshments were served during the evening to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. X. A. Lincoln and son Ernest, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Will McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Loch and daughter Miss Golda Loch, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gray and children Lowell, Lorace, Irene, Billy, Mrs. J. T. Hanna and Mr. and Mrs. Porterfield and daughter Cecil. The guests departed at a late hour wishing Mr. Porterfield many more happy birthdays.

Celebrate 25th Anniversary.

The Knights and Ladies of Security celebrated their twenty-fifth anniversary last night with a social at the I. O. O. F. hall. A large number of the members and their friends were present. The evening was spent in playing progressive dominoes. The following program was given; Recitations by Dorothy Allen, Esther and Homer Gile and a talk by Rev. T. H. Wiles, who explained the good done by fraternal orders. Piano solos were given by Miss Gladys Culverson, and Miss Tucker of near Ravenwood gave a splendid reading. Following was the menu served: roast beef, boiled ham, mashed potatoes, brown gravy, celery, pickles, salads, ice cream and cake.

Farewell Party for Meeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Meek, who will move soon to their new home near Clearmont, were given a farewell party Thursday night by their neighbors and friends. On account of the threatening weather there were not as many present as were expected. Music was furnished during the evening by Mr. Duff, Mr. Crandell, Mr. Meek and Mr. Thompson. A luncheon consisting of oyster soup, cake and coffee was served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice, Mr. and Mrs. James Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bolin and son, Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. Erschel Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell and son, Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. George Meek, Mr. and Mrs. John Meek, and son, Robert, and daughter, Imogene, Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Meek, and son, Robin, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sexton, Misses Helen and Alene Bolin, Hattie Thompson, Dolly Clements, Ruth Russell, Ruby Rice, Laura Hosher, Emlyn and Neola Saxton; Messrs. Charles Crandell, Ray Bartlett, Clint Duff, Ed Brunk, Clifford Rice, George Thompson, Everett Moore, Jacob Clements, John Scowden, Howard Thompson, Jimmie Meek and Charles Hoshor.

Rebekah Lodge Social Hour.

After the business session of the Rebekah lodge, which met Thursday night a program and social was given. Dainty refreshments were served to fifty-three persons. The program was as follows: song, by Harry Trullinger; reading by Clarissa Whaley; recitation by Homer Gile; recitation by Harry Trullinger; reading by Miss Ruth Miller; reading by Miss Grace Pugh; and a vocal solo by Miss Ruby Irwin.

Missionary Society Meets.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Ford on North Buchanan street. Devotions were led by Mrs. R. S. Braniger and one new member, Doctor Godby, was taken in. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. S. Thompson, Mrs. Braniger and Mrs. Brint Embree. Twenty-three members and four visitors were present. The visitors were, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Warren Jones, Mrs. L. E. Dean, and Mrs. Brint Embree.

Mrs. C. A. Loch, Hostess.

The Social Hour club met with Mrs. C. A. Loch Wednesday afternoon at her home northwest of Pickering. Roll call was answered with selections relating to Washington. Miss Golda Loch and Mrs. Ernest Stafford favored the club with several selections on the piano. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Miss Golda Loch, to the following guests and members: Mrs. Capels Wilson, Mrs. Ernest Stafford, Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. W. P. Scott, Mrs. George Porterfield, Mrs. J. F. Hanna and Mr. Leslie Hanna.

Entertain For Wallaces.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wallace, who leave soon for Norfolk, Neb., gathered at their home south of Maryville Tuesday evening and spent the time playing games. Music was furnished by Miss Lucy Carr and Mr. Wallace on the piano. Mr. Kendell represented an old negro and entertained the guests with banjo music and songs. During the evening a two-course luncheon of sandwiches, pickles, salad, pineapple ice, coffee and cake were served in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and family, who leave soon for their new home in Norfolk, Neb. At the close of the evening all sang, "God be With You 'Till We Meet Again." Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Yates, Mrs. Mary McNeal of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carr, Mr. and Mrs. John Rickman, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Kendell, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lyle and daughter, Esterline, Mr. and Mrs. Clate Carr, Dave Lehman, Bertha Lehman, Lucy Carr and brother, Merle and Clifford Lyle, Daniel and Leo Meyers, Miss May Doran, Mary Ellen and Doris Carr, Gilbert Crossan, Pearl, Lynn and Gale Wallace.

Farewell Party For Dinsmore's.

The members of the Christian church of Gaynor, gave a farewell party on Thursday evening, February 22 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dinsmore, who are moving away from the Gaynor neighborhood. Music and games furnished amusements for the evening and at a late hour dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Will Shelman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Florea, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stickel, Mr. and Mrs. John Gerard, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Shelman, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Florea, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Will Killion, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dinsmore, Misses Leta Hantz, Addie Killion, Stella Lawson, Kate Curry, Gladys Lawson, Laura Gerard, Bertha Riley, Ruby Riley, Lucile Stickel, Crystal Morton, Mabel Shelman, Moselle Dinsmore, Audrey Dinsmore, Doris Morton, Neva Dinsmore, Jean Florea, Lloyd Killion, Ernest Gerard, Elmer Riley, Carl Killion, Earl Gerard, Bryl Montgomery, Irvin Shelman, Harley Gerard, Orvil Morton, Ralph Dinsmore, Harold Stickel, Marvin Dinsmore, Donald Morton, Loren and Harold Hantz.

For Mrs. Wolfers.

Mrs. William Wallis, Sr., entertained with a luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Sr., of Hopkins. The decorations were all in pink. About twenty-five guests were present.

Miss Owen Hostess.

Miss Gladys Owen, assisted by her mother, Mrs. John Aley, entertained at 1 o'clock dinner today. Her guests were, Miss Adah Ware of Barnard, Mr. Mulland and Mrs. Wright of Rushville, Mo.

Farewell.

The Woman's Bible class of the Baptist church met yesterday afternoon to bid farewell to Mrs. L. P. James, who leaves next week for Gentry county to make her home. During the four years she has lived in Maryville, Mrs. James has been teacher of the Bible class for three and a half years. Mrs. Anderson Craig made a talk to the class which was followed by short talks by several of the other women present. The members of the class presented Mrs. James and also Mrs. Albert Gorten, a class member who is moving away from Maryville, with a parting gift. Mrs. Eugene Ogden made a very appropriate presentation speech and spoke of the faithfulness of Mrs. James' work as a teacher. Mrs. T. H. Wiles was the only guest present. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. G. B. Holmes and Mrs. W. A. Burris. Before leaving for their home all present sang, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Bacile Michelson, Host.

Bacile Michelson entertained the club at "The Pines," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Heber Michelson, south of Bedison, on Washington's birthday, with a Washington birthday party.

Flags, tiny hatchets, pictures and other decorations suggestive to Washington's birthday were used in decorating.

The hours were pleasantly spent in "hunting the hatchet," "crossing the Delaware," and other games appropriate for the day.

The prize for finding the most hatchets was awarded to Hugh Keenan.

Red, white and blue were the predominating colors in the luncheon. The guest favors were tiny silk flags.

The host was assisted in entertaining by E. Cloe Davis.

The club which was formed some weeks ago is literary and entertaining in its purpose. The members are, Mary E. Coulter, Cuba Thompson Sue Young, Opal Snowden, Laura Snyder, Emma Jensen, Jessie and Mayme Thompson, Lola Coulter, and E. Clo e Davis, and Messrs. Karl Swearingen, Hugh Keenan, Leo and Fred Barseball, Fred Coulter, T. C. and Ray Davis, Bacile Michelson, Ferol, Ed and Ray Thompson, Lehman and Henry Hansen.

Auffarts Surprised.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben J. Auffart, who live four miles southeast of Maryville, were given a farewell surprise party Wednesday night at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Auffart are soon moving to Maryville. All the women brought well-filled baskets and an elaborate luncheon was served. Various kinds of games helped to pass the evening away. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams and children, Ed and Annie, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilmes and children, Rose, George, Hubert, Willie Frances and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heitman and children, Joseph, Mary, Leo and Bennie, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heitman and baby, Emma, Mr. and Mrs. John Breedlove and children, Andrew and Theodore, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, Tom Kane, Frank and Joe Meyers, Misses Anna and Lizzie Meyers, George Auffart, Joe and Basil Auffart of Parnell, Leo Auffart, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Auffart and children, Marie and Evelyn and Fred Meyers of Jasper, Ind.

Mrs. Lewis White Entertains.

Mrs. Lewis White entertained the Herron Homemaking Circle at her home west of town Friday afternoon. Flags, tiny hatchets and other decorations suggestive to Washington's birthday were used in decorating. A patriotic program which had been planned by the hostess was given, and several musical numbers were given by Mrs. Cast. Assisting the hostess in serving were Mrs. J. A. Spiers, Mrs. Cast, Misses Mary Taylor and Esther Niedel. Red, white and blue were the predominating colors in the luncheon. Guests present were: Mrs. J. J. Pyles, Mrs. J. A. Spiers, Mrs. Robert Pyles, and Mrs. Cast. Members present were, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, Mrs. Frank Hull, Mrs. Albert Appleby, Mrs. I. E. Tebow, Mrs. Harve Cockayne, Mrs. Ed Vulgamontt, Mrs. Ernest McDowell, Mrs. Lewis Rogers, Mrs. J. N. Manley, Mrs. S. E. Fisher and Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Esther Niedel and Miss Esther Tebow. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, March 7. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor.

Miss Gladys Carr Weds.

Miss Gladys Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Carr of Hamilton, Mo., and Archie Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Barrett of Skidmore, were married about 10 o'clock this morning at the home of Rev. Reuben Barrett of Skidmore. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett left for Iowa for a short visit with relatives. They will make their home on a farm west of Skidmore.

Parnell Art Club Party.

A committee composed of Mrs. H. O. Gray, Mrs. D. T. Morgan, Mrs. W. A. Spoonemore and Mrs. W. M. Morgan entertained the Parnell Art club and their families at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morgan. This is the last of a series of evening meetings of the Art club. The evening was spent in playing somerset and a dainty two-course luncheon was served by the committee. Member guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kennedy and sons, John and Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spoonemore and sons, Virgil and Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Addy, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Breit and son, Frederick, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Felton and son, Austin, Mr and Mrs. J. H. Hutchison and son Clarence, and daughter, Myrtie, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Roof and son, Charles Howard, and Quete and Drexel Morgan, Miss Bessie Stoner, Mr. and Mrs. E. Roof and son, Halden of Blockton, Ia., Ted Sanders of Sheridan and M. E. Ford of Maryville.

To Honor Dr. Ricketts.

Siren Lodge, No. 58, colored, will hold a memorial service tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Anderson building, Sixth and Main streets, to honor the late Dr. M. O. Ricketts.

B. F. Smart, W. M.

To Leave Soon For Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wallace and three children, Pearl, Lynn and Gale, will leave about March 5 for their new home in Norfolk, Neb. They have sold their farm south of Maryville and have bought one near Norfolk.

Here From Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Rich of Burlington, Colo., are visiting with friends in Maryville. Mr. Rich formerly lived five miles south of Maryville. He has a good word for Colorado.

Mrs. W. W. Davenport and Mrs. W. A. White returned last night from a two-days visit in Kansas City.

NORMAL NOTES

(By Ross McReynolds).

The last of the tournament basketball games was played Wednesday evening. Laughlin defeated Hubbard, 20 to 7; and Ferguson defeated Lyle, 25 to 16. The line-ups were: Laughlin (Capt.), Brown, Pugh, Nichols and Wilson. Hubbard (Capt.), Peter, Hix, Gray and C. Sawyers. Ferguson (Capt.), Halasey, Siddons, Don Hall and Strader. Lyle (Capt.), Gannon, Clam, E. Bird and Todd.

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The Y. W. C. A. gave a program at assembly Thursday morning. It consisted of songs sung by hidden singers and persons acting the parts suggested by the song. They were: "The Rosary," "Annie Laurie," "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny," "Sweet Hour of Prayer," "Sweet and Low," and "The Star Spangled Banner." The reflector was used to good advantage, light from it being thrown upon the figure in pantomime.

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The literary societies elected officers for the ensuing quarter Thursday evening. They are: Excelsior—President, Warren Wilson; vice-president, Opal Combs; secretary, Oma Trotter, treasurer; Leslie Elam, sergeant-at-arms, Ruth Miller, and sponsor, Miss Hunt.

Philomathean—President, A. M. Darnell; vice-president, Mary West; secretary, Cleo Leson; treasurer, Lewis Hunt; and sergeant-at-arms, James Halasey.

Eurekan—President, Harold Staples; vice-president, Mahala Saville; secretary, Miss Greimer; treasurer, Rose McReynolds; sergeant-at-arms, Ernest White.

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The Senior-Sophomore party Thursday night was enjoyed by all. It was a colonial party. Many of the costumes were indeed creations of art. The program was also colonial. The first part was shadow representations of George Washington cutting down the cherry tree, the duel between Hamilton and Burr, Captain John Smith pouring water down the man's sleeve, Making of the flag by Betsy Ross and the scene between John Alden and Priscilla. After a few numbers by the orchestra the "Star Spangled Banner," was played, whereupon a girl appeared and waved the flag and the students and faculty gave the military salute. The Virginia Reel was danced for awhile and the King and Queen, Mr. Hanson and Mrs. Rickenbrode, looked the couples over and awarded the prize for the best costumes. They were awarded to Verne Harris and Mildred Osman. After this refreshments were served in the corridor.

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Maryville, Mo.

Just Received a Spring Shipment of WALL PAPER
Arnett Decorating Co.
Take Advantage of the Low Prices Now

Dr. W. W. Turner
Osteopathic Physician
Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
BOTH PHONES

FOR SALE

Non-residents authorize me to sell for immediate possession if wanted a splendid ¼ block of ground, seven-room dwelling and barn, west side. Also seven-room dwelling and one lot close in southwest part. Either are modern, save furnace. Either a special snap if taken immediatel. I have also a snap in a 200-acre stock farm or a fine 300-acre all purpose farm. Both close in. See me in person. Phone will be out of commission on any of these.

Chas. Hyslop

Flags

EVERYONE is going to use FLAGS in honor of the home-coming of the Band boys. We have them from 5c per dozen to 50c each.

D. E. Hotchkin
111 W. 3rd St. Maryville, Mo.

QUEEN Incubators

First Class in Every Particular

Anker-Holth Self-Balancing Separators

Always Good

CALL AT

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one hundred per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or irregular insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words, send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR FOUNDATION WORK, house raising, all kinds of brick, tile or cement work, call Han. 521 or see Frank Reynolds. 15tf.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

Lost.

LOST—Bunch of keys. Finder please return to Democrat-Forum. 23-26*

LOST—Heavy automobile robe last Friday on South Buchanan. Return to U. S. Wright. 23-26

BOARDING by day or week; also rooms for rent. T. C. Pope, old Ford place, 128 South Main St. 24-2*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A few pieces of furniture cheap. Leaving town. Call 270 Hanamo. 22-24

FOR SALE—Good 3-year-old mare, weight about 1,500. J. Ward Stevenson, Far. 18-12. 22-24*

FOR SALE—A sideboard in good condition. Call at M. E. Flats. J. L. Tilson. 21-24

FOR SALE—2 residence properties, 7-room house, 3 blocks south of the square, 5-room house at Vine and First streets. Will make terms to suit purchaser Call Dr. K. R. Malotte. 22-24

FOR SALE—Cheap, a modern 5-room bungalow; must be sold at once; possession March 1. Would take in part payment some young horses. Farmers phone 225. 23-26

FOR SALE—24 head draft horses and mares, 3 and 4 years old. Mares in foal; 20 head cows, springers; 260-acre farm if sold before the first of March. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 16tf.

HAVING decided to move to Colorado, I will sell at public auction Thursday, March 1, on J. B. Edwards' farm, 4 miles east and 1 mile north of Clearmont, Mo., livestock, corn, hay, household goods, farm implements; also my 40-acre farm. John W. Edwards. Pence Bros., Aucts. 21-27*

FOR SALE—Some good Duroc gilts, will farrow in March and April. J. L. Clayton, Pickering, Mo., Farmers phone 10-17. 24-27

FOR SALE—Some good mixed corn at 92c, to be moved any time within ten days. Wyne Judah, second house east fair grounds. 24-27*

FOR SALE—Team young mares, coming 3 and 4 years old, sound. Dale Marsh, Farmers phone 51-15. 24-2*

FOR SALE—Clover seed, $11.00 per bu. Victor H. Wray, Orrsburg. 24-27*

FOR SALE—Tables, vacuum cleaner, iron bed, chairs, and kitchen cabinet for sale Mrs. James, Hanamo phone 3295. 24-27

FOR SALE—Ringlet Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, 15 for 75c; 100 for $4.00. Baby chicks, 15c each. Mrs. Ira Dever, Farmers phone 51-20. 24-27*

WANTED

WANTED—Experienced farm hand, married man. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 23-1*

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

WANTED—Old False Teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 3-24*

SALESMEN WANTED—to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Barvey Oil Co., Cleveland, O. 23-24*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in. 324 East Fourth street. 23-26*

FOR RENT—To good lessee, the B. F Anderson property, corner Sixth and Market streets. See John Hanson. 23-26

FOR RENT—Good house, with ground for truck garden patch, few pigs and chickens at Old Xenia. U. S. Nicholson, Hopkins. 23-26

FOR RENT—4 rooms, bath room, with city water, well and cistern. Geo. L. Reynolds, 627 W. Second. 23tf

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR RENT—4 rooms, pantry, good water; also furnished room for light housekeeping, close in. 202 East First street. 23-26*

FOR RENT—5-room house, good garden spot in southeast Maryville. Phone Bert Hiatt, Han. 3721, Farmers 127-15. 24-27

FOR RENT—8-room house, 5 blocks from square, well, cistern and city water, large chicken house and park, and fruit. Call Farmers phone 219. 24-27*

PATTERSON WILL FILED

Ravenwood Man Leaves Property to Be Divided Among Wife and Daughters.

The will of Charles E. Patterson, who died at his home near Ravenwood February 19, was filed today in the probate court. He leaves 120 acres of land and all of his household goods, money, notes and other personal property to his wife, and the remainder of his real estate to be equally divided among his three daughters, Florence C. Hicks, Grace Pierpoint and Lottie E. Wells, and his granddaughter, Rachel Marshall. He makes a special bequest to his granddaughter.

His wife, Mary E. Patterson, is named executrix. The will is dated January 25, 1906, and is signed by William J. Falk, Joe Jackson, Jr., and J. B. Newman.

Eickholt Child Dies.

Lawrence, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Eickholt, died at 7 o'clock last night at his home following one weeks' illness of measles. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the St. Benedict church, conducted by Rev. Fr. Frowin. Burial was in the St. Columbia cemetery.

NEWS FROM ALL NORTHWEST MISSOURI

The Atchison county records at Rock Port show that the farm loans, now in force in that county amount to $2,700,000. The Tarkio Avalanche raises the query: How much of this money was given in for taxation, county state or national?

Of the three heroes who swam the Tallahatchie river under a hail of Confederate bullets to regain possession of a supply boat which was of vital importance in one of the big battles of the Civil War, there is now but one survivor—James Gaffney of northern Holt county, says the Fairfax Forum Since their daring deed together which won them three gold medals for distinguished bravery, the three men were close friends. The first to die was Ambrose Porter, who passed away at Phelps City about a year ago. The second, Joseph O'Neal, died recently near Fairfax.

The famous Andrew county farm women's organization, the Willing Workers has arranged for a visit to their community by State Superintendent Uel W. Lamkin, who will assist them in opening a campaign for rural school consolidation and for the forming of canning clubs and corn growing clubs. Success in the near future is predicted by the Savannah Reporter, for this movement toward consolidation.

A singular fate befell a team of horses on a steep hill near Camden. They were pulling a heavy load, the road was slick and one horse fell. His team mate pluckily held the entire load until the fallen horse got to his feet, then fell to the ground—not as the first horse had fallen, but in death, resulting from a bursted blood vessel.

Mr. Reuben Burnett tells us that he believes all the wheat on his farm is as dead as a door nail. However, he ought to hope for the best even if the worst comes. This thing of doing without biscuit is a very serious proposition.—Richmond Missourian.

A shotgun, left leaning against the outside of an Orrick home fell to the porch floor, was discharged and the load penetrated the door to the room within. One member of the family received two shot just over the eye and another got an even dozen in her foot.

Patrons' losses in the fire which destroyed the Mound City depot included $100 freight, $150 express and $400 baggage, says the News-Jeffersonian. All the company records were burned, the destruction of the depot was complete and only by strenuous work was the Standard Oil Co.'s supply station saved.

It was an undersized team of horses, says the Bethany Republican, with which Bert Neff brought the record load of hogs to town the other day . The single load brought $233.25 at market price.

At a single shipment, $14,000 worth of fat hogs were marketed last week by J. A. Smith & Son of near Lawson. According to the Review they struck the record price of $12.25 with two carloads, while eight other carloads sold at $12.20 a hundred pounds. The entire shipment of 480 head were of the Smiths' own feeding.

Although extreme dryness in the tobacco offered for sale last week at Dearborn brought the average price down to $15.38 a hundred pounds on the 19,525 sold, the highest price of the season — $25.25 a hundred—was paid for one basket produced by George Law.—Dearborn Democrat.

Three sheep-killing dogs did $240 damage in a flock of sheep north of Dearborn recently, and last week in St. Joseph, in the lawsuit growing out of the occurrence the owner of the 15 killed sheep was allowed $16 each in damages to be paid by the owners of the dogs.

His 52nd annual payment for subscription to the Unionville Republican was made last week by J. M. Yates, who has lived there since 1854. He became a subscriber to the paper with its first issue in 1865.

It isn't a bad idea to let your neighbor use your telephone. One day last week Jasper Neagle and wife in Putnam county, left home to attend a sale. That morning they had cleaned the ashes from the stove and left the vessel containing them on the porch. During their absence, a neighbor ran over to use the telephone and found the porch in flames—the neighborly visit being just in time to save the house.

1420-pound cow brought $113.60 at market price last week at Forest City, says the News. Her purchaser, O. A. Williams, while in the buying mood, also bought seven hogs averaging 410 pounds each at the total price of $345.14.

Miss Genie Aley of Pickering is in Maryville today.

Pickering Declamatory Contest.

Miss Dorothy McCord of the Lock School, won the gold medal at the declamatory contest at Pickering last night. The silver medal was won by Miss Massy of the Black school. Miss Scott of Glendale was the winner of the bronze medal. Lester Hinton received the $1 offered as a prize. The Maryville Conservatory of Music furnished the music for the evening. The receipts were $19.

County Court in Session.

The county court in session today set aside the petition of H. W. Montgomery, G. P. Logan, J. L. Teson and others asking that a part of the public road, east of Skidmore, be vacated. Another road case was continued, because not all of the principals in the case were present.

Twin Daughters for Sheltons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton of west of Maryville announce the birth of twin daughters, born Thursday, February 22.

Returns to Savannah.

H. A. Sawyers returned to his home in Savannah yesterday afternoon after a visit to his brothers, J. K. Sawyers and W. G. Sawyers. He was accompanied by his nephew, H. L. Sawyers.

Attachment Suit Filed.

An attachment suit was filed in the circuit court this afternoon by H. W. Garrett against Albert F. Brown. Cook & Cummins are the attorneys in the case.

Bailey Will Filed.

The will of E. M. Bailey, who died January 13, was filed in probate court today. The estate was divided among the children. Elza T. Bailey, a son, was named executor.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued today for Roy V. Peters of Red Oak, Ia., and Iva Mae Miller of Stennet, Ia.

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to move to Maryville, I will hold a public sale, at the farm known as the Phillip Kleber, 4 1-2 miles northeast of Graham and 13 miles southwest of Maryville, on

Friday, March 2nd, 1917

Beginning at 1 o'clock, the following described property:—

20 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK—Consisting of 1 pair mules coming 9 years old; family driving mare, 10 years old; Shorthorn cow coming 4-years-old; Shorthorn cow coming 3-yrs-old; 1 3-4 Jersey cow, all bred; 5 Hampshire gilts, all bred; 5 Duroc Jersey, 2 bred to farrow in March; 3 stock hogs, weight about 170 lbs; 2 Shorthorn heifer calves; Shorthorn male calf.

IMPLEMENTS AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS:—Triple feed grinder, new mower, gasoline power washing machine, nearly new; set single driving harness, china closet, library table, velvet divan, 3 dining chairs, German heater, Dandy range, the best make; Edison phonograph and 1 dozen records, nearly new

GRAINS:—200 bushels corn, 5 bushels White Cap seed corn, 150 bushels seed oats, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—$10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months with bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

A. J. COX, Auct
JOHN WILSON, Clerk

Otto A. Bleich

Public Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on the farm, 1 mile south and 1 mile east of Clearmont, Mo., on,

Tuesday, February 27

Commencing at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property:

HORSES AND MULES—1 bay horse, 4 years old, weighs 1,300, well broke; 1 driving mare, 4 years old, weighs 1,100; 2 3-year-old mules, broke, weight 1,900; 1 black mare mule, 3 years old, weight 900; 1 black mare mule, 2 years old, weight 850.

CATTLE—4 Aberdeen Angus cows, 2 of them pedigreed, all to be fresh soon; 1 3-year-old half Jersey to be fresh in April; 3 Red Polled cows, to be fresh soon; 1 Jersey cow, 5 years old, fresh; 1 red cow with calf at side; 4 coming 2-year-old heifers; 2 Angus yearling heifers; 3 Shorthorn heifers, coming yearlings; 3 steer calves; 1 Angus bull calf, eligible to register; 1 2-year-old Angus bull .

7 GILTS bred to farrow in March.

900 bushels of corn in lots to suit purchaser; 15 tons hay in barn.

1 wagon; 1 buggy; 1 set work harness; 1 cultivator; 1 corn planter; 1 lister; 1 drill; and other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over $10.00 a credit of 6 or 9 months will be given, purchaser giving a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to leave premises until terms are complied with.

Pence Bros, Auctioneers. L. M. Cummins, Clerk.

A. H. Garrett

The Young Man—Give Him This Most Useful Instruction

Teach him the great value of consistent saving, the necessity for acquiring this most useful habit while he is still young, the many advantages he will find in the future in having a savings account. Then when he is older and wiser he will thank you many times. He will appreciate the fact that he nas not been left to his own ways, but has been taught to do the thing which makes a financial success.

Once you have that young fellow regularly carrying his savings to the bank you have given him the biggest boost on the road to a successful career.

We'll co operate by giving him the best business advice which our experience has given us. We'll encourage him in his efforts.

REAL ESTATE BANK
4% On Savings Deposits

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Feb. 24.— WHEAT — May, $1.77—; July, $1.48¼.

CORN—May, 98½c; July, 98⅛c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Feb. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; no trade.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; all sold around $11.25@$12.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, none; market, weak.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 17,000; market, 5c higher; top, $13.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500;. . market, weak.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Feb. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,900; market, 5c higher; top, $12.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500; market, weak.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce Co.

Butter fat, per lb	38c
Eggs, per dozen	35c
Hides, per lb	15c
Cocks	8c
Smooth Spring Chickens	16c
Hens, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c
Young Roosters according to value.	

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker of Barnard are among the out of town people in Maryville today.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

The fellow who does something for his town is always glad to inform you that he is a member of the commercial organization.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, February 21, 1917.

Men.

Goodman, Ray
Lockhart, J. M.
Morgan, George H.
Peterson, Heine
Peterson, Henry
Porter, Henry
Porter, Thomas
Rhea, Perry

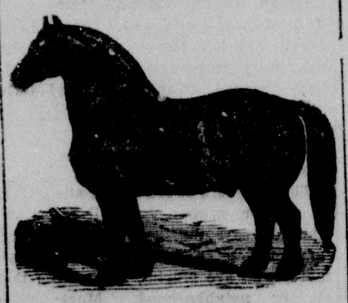
Women.

Wilson, Mrs. John

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

Respectfully,
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Horses and Mules WANTED



Will positively be at the

Star Barn
Every Saturday

Will buy draft horses, war horses, and Southern horses and mares. Also want some fat mules, any size and age.

Charles H. Roach

ANXIOUS TO BECOME CITIZEN.

Mrs. Glackner Rides 340 Miles to Get Papers, But Journey Is in Vain.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Wildwood, Mo., Feb. 24.—Mrs. Mary Glackner rode 340 miles to secure her first naturalization papers, but the journey was in vain.

Mrs. Glackner rode 20 miles over mountains to the railroad station, where she boarded a train for the 150-mile trip to St. Louis, where she was told she could not be naturalized because she is separated from her husband. She departed very sadly on her long journey back to Wildwood.

Mrs. Glackner came to this country from Austria in 1900.

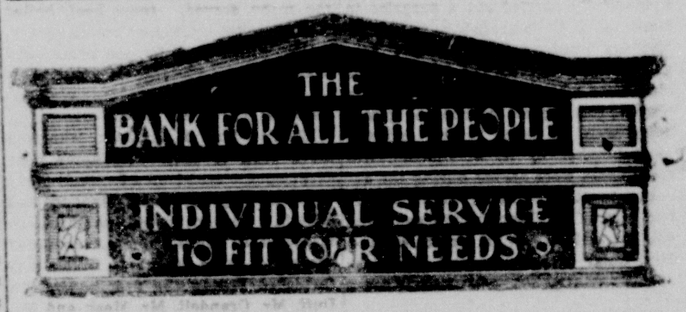
Don't sign your name to an agent's order for nursery stock when you can buy true to name stock near home. State inspected, fully guaranteed direct from the reliable Murray Nurseries of Oregon, Mo., and save agents' commissions.

There is a movement on foot to consolidate the Buckley, Millen, Maple Grove and Ford City school districts and build a 12-grade school for all at Ford City.—King City Democrat.

BUY WALL PAPER FROM
Arnett Decorating Company
The Best and Cheapest Place to Buy Wall Paper and Paints

ATTENTION FARMERS!

Now's the time to look up your tool repairing and plow repair work and get in on a 25 per cent discount all during February. This special discount for cash is good for this month only. The old prices were $2 for 4-shovel and $3 for 6-shovel sharpening and pointing. Prices February will be $1.75 and $2. Stern plows, 14, 16 and 18 inch, 25 cents each, straight. For prices on all kinds of repairing see NICK WAGNER



WE WANT YOU

WE are interested in every one of our depositors.

We want to give you the service that will help you.

We want our service to develop you.

We want you to become a part of this bank.

Come in and talk to us about these matters.

Farmers Trust Co.
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
Capital . . . $200.000.00

SAFETY · COURTESY · SERVICE

WANTED

HORSES, MARES and MULES

HORSES and MARES, 5 to 10 years old; 1,200 pounds up to as big as they grow. MARES 4 to 10 years old, 900 to 1,200 pounds; MULES, any size, 4 to 8 years old.

I WILL BE IN

Wilcox, Forenoon Only Wednesday, Feb. 28
Quitman, Afternoon Only Wednesday, Feb. 28

Bring in your fat HORSES and MULES. Grays must be of dark color. There is no market whatever for the long-legged, out-classed horses. The good kind is what I am after.

LEAD THEM TO ME—I do not come to town to invoice, find fault with stock or publish bids. I come to BUY. Lead them in on date named.

Frank Adams
The Old Reliable Horse Buyer

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE

VOLUME 7. MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, SATURDAY, FEB. 24, 1917. NO. 228.

WILL STAND SECOND

LAST NIGHT'S VICTORY GIVES THE NORMAL A HIGH POSITION.

WON FROM TARKIO, 25-22

Game Closer Than Expected, But Second Half Turns Score In Favor of the Home Boys.

The Bearcats again defeated the fast Tarkio five in the last game of their season, at the Normal gymnasium, by a score of 25 to 22. This victory gives them a high place in present standings of the teams. Springfield now has four games to play and if they should lose two of them, post-season games might be necessary to decide the championship. Springfield recently defeated Drury, by a margin of two or three points and no one knows what Drury might do to them. Anyway second place is the Normals no matter how these other games come out. Normal followers are hoping that Springfield will drop several games and enable the Bearcats to win the pennant.

The game was much closer than was expected. Predictions were freely made that Tarkio would be beaten by five or ten points. Tarkio had their best line-up in the game last night. The Bearcats took the lead in the first few minutes of play but it was soon cut down by the free throws of Huddle, the Tarkio center. The game was hard fought and rough, personal fouls being called several times. The half ended with the Normal rooters anything but jubilant, for the score stood 15 to 11 in favor of Tarkio.

The second half started with a rush, the Bearcats playing hard to cut down the Tarkio lead. They played so well that Tarkio was able to throw only two field goals while the Bearcats threw seven. During this period the game was played almost exclusively in Normal territory. Many fouls were called during the game, fifteen or sixteen being called on the Normal and nine on Tarkio. "Chido" Scott was again off on throwing free throws, getting only three out of seven tries, while Huddle, for Tarkio, threw twelve out of fifteen or sixteen tries. The score at the end of the game stood 25 to 22 in favor of the Bearcats.

"Dad" Scarlett was the star of the game. His floor work was excellent, and he threw three field goals, while he allowed his opponent only one. "Gimlet" and "Chido" played fine games as did Garard and Wells. For the first time this season in a conference game, Wells threw a field goal. He has played a fine game at guard holding his opponents down well.

"Dad" Scarlett and "Gimlet" also tried a free throw apiece but neither succeeded.

All the Tarkio players played fine games, Younger, Glenn and Huddle each getting one field goal, while Brown at guard, threw two. Huddle, the center, threw a goal from near the center position

The line-ups of the teams were:—Bearcats, "Chido" and "Gimlet" Scott, forwards; "Agnes" Garard, center; "Dad" Scarlett and "Charlie" Wells, guards. Tarkio—Younger and Glenn, forwards; Huddle, center; Whitnell, and Brown, guards.

The goals thrown were: "Chido" Scott, 3; "Gimlet" Scott, 3; Garard, 1; "Dad" Scarlett, 3; Wells, 1; Younger, 1; Glenn, 1; Huddle, 1; Brown, 2.

Free throws: Huddle, 12 out of 16 tries; "Chido" Scott, 3 out of 7 tries. Weidline of Atchison, Kan., refereed.

Results of voting contest at the FERN THEATRE at the close of the performance Friday night, Feb. 23:

Ethel Wells	1700
Fay Myers	1450
Maybird Parrish	1170
Marie Levacy	1100
Mrs. Arch Frank	1070

Civil Service Examination.

The civil service examination for the position of postmaster at Ravenwood is being held at the post office building today. Seven applicants are trying for the position, left vacant by the resignation of L. L. King. They are: George Row, Leonard Hawley, O. R. Kirkbride, Frank Powell, E. H. Sims, Mrs. Pernelia Rhoades and J. J. Smith. The office pays $849.

Dr. Stinson to Oklahoma.

Dr. H. L. Stinson leaves tomorrow morning for Shawnee, Okla., where he will be the guest of his mother, Mrs. N. B. Haney, for a few days.

MARYVILLE BOY WINS MEDAL

Harold Ryan Takes Second Place in High Jump at the Meet at Washington, D. C.

At the indoor track meet of the South Atlantic association, held at Washington, D. C., February 14, Harold Ryan, son of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan of Maryville and a student of the Catholic University of America, at Washington won the silver medal and second place in the high jump against a handicap of three and one-half inches, making the highest actual jump in the meet.

John Hopkins, the Catholic University of America, Princeton and the University of Pennsylvania took the honors in the order named

SENATE FAVORS SCHOOL TAX

Passes Amendment Making Special Levy of Fifteen Cents on the $100 Valuation.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Feb 24.—Without a dissenting vote the senate yesterday passed Senator Cook's measure submitting a constitutional amendment making a special levy of fifteen cents on the $100 valuation for support of the public schools. If the measure meets with the approval of the House it will be submitted to a vote of the people at the next general election. The purpose of the act is double. It would give more to the public schools than they now receive, and at the same time it would relieve the revenue fund from support for the school. One-third of all the general revenue, about $1,900,000, now goes to support the schools, and this is the heaviest single drain on the revenue fund. A direct tax of fifteen cents for the benefit of the schools would produce about 2½ million dollars a year under the present valuation of the state.

This is the first Senate measure that has finally been disposed of so far as the Senate is concerned.

TORPEDO PLANT EXPLODES.

Bartlesville, Okla., Feb. 24. — The plant of the American Torpedo Company near here, was blown up this morning. Several hundred quarts of nitro-glycerine exploded, wrecking the country side. One man's legs were blown off.

Judge Dawson to Fairfax.

The Atchison county circuit court will convene Monday, March 5, with Judge John M. Dawson in charge, for the first time. Ed G. Frazier will appear as prosecuting attorney, Bernard Altman, clerk; Jonas Feighner, sheriff; and A. A. Brewer, stenographer.—Fairfax Forum.

Mrs. W. R. Joel and little daughter, Wilma, of Richards, Mo., are in Maryville visiting at the home of Mrs. Joel's sister, Mrs. G. H. Westfall.

John Moffit and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen of Conception are in Maryville today.

FERN TONIGHT—

The World Film Corporation presents a photoplay production of Chas. E. Blarney's famous melodrama of the Spanish American War, entitled,

"Across the Pacific"

in 5 acts. "Willie Live," "You D—ern right he will"—a war correspondent for the "San Francisco Echo"—demonstrates to the American soldier that it is possible to defeat a large squad of Spanish soldiers with the aid of a gattling gun.

See Willie do this — Also a one-reel comedy entitled, "MASHES and SPLASHES," and a one reel comedy, Weber & Fields in "MIKE and LOUIE GOES FISHING."

5c and 10c 5c and 10c

200 AT LECTURE

HOME OWNERS HEAR PROFESSOR MAJORS ON PLANTING.

HIS TALK WAS PRACTICAL

He Took Up City Problems, Pointed Out Various Remedies for Common Mistakes In Home Planting.

Plant a border of trees and shrubs around the lawn.

Leave an open space on the lawn.

Plant shrubs close to the house in order to conceal the foundation.

Place the walk or driveway on one side and that on the least desirable side of the lawn.

These and many other interesting things were what the 200 persons heard who attended the lecture given at the High School auditorium by Prof. Horace Majors, landscape architect of the University of Missouri.

Professor Majors' talk was intensely practical. He talked not about the cities of other states but about those of our own state, and he even had some slides showing places in Maryville that met with his commendation or his disapproval. He told his audience that he had not come here to criticize, but that he would point out the defects with a view to aiding in their correction.

He discussed the approach of the city and suggested plans for improving road-ways, water-ways and railroad stations. He laid particular stress on the necessity of eliminating the dangerous railroad crossing by substituting elevated or submerged crossings.

"Missouri roads in the future are going to be hard surfaced," said Professor Majors, "and for this reason the great need will be for shade. Carefully selected trees planted with discretion will mean a great saving to travelers both as to eyesight and to general health. It is an acknowledged fact that trees keep the air moist and also do great work in absorbing the carbon dioxide from it."

Several views were shown to give an idea of possibilities in making the heart of the city attractive. One picture was of the Maryville court house. Prof. Majors suggested that the removing of the hitching racks would add materially to the appearance of Maryville's public square. He said, however, that the city should provide a suitable place where horses and wagons might be kept while out-of-town people did their trading.

The problem of making a real home occupied a greater part of the landscape artist's talk. He showed slides of homes where planting had been used to good advantage, and then contrasted them with other homes where the use of trees and shrubs had been overdone.

"A house is an artificial addition to the landscape," explained Mr. Majors. "The problem of making a house a real home is to fit it in with the landscape to soften the corners and to mellow its tones by the judicious use of plants and shrubs."

In the planting of trees on lawns, Professor Majors gave four "don'ts" that all home owners should bear in mind:

Don't have a flower bed in the middle of the lawn.

Don't scatter shrubs and trees over the lawn like shoe buttons.

Don't have a Tea's Weeping Mulberry tree in your yard. These belong in the cemetery.

Don't plant red flowers, such as salvia, against a red brick wall.

GAINS FOR THE ALLIES.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—Gains for the Allies on both the Somme and the Verdun fronts were announced today by the German war office.

Chairman For Peace League.

James Todd, editor of the Democrat-Forum, was chosen chairman of Nodaway county for the Missouri Branch of the League to Enforce ePace at the meeting at Jefferson City, Thursday.

Doctor Burris Honored.

Dr. W. F. Burris, district superintendent of the First Methodist church was elected president of the Board of Trustees at Missouri-Wesleyan College at Cameron last week. Doctor Burris says that the money for the new building has been raised by the people of Cameron that the architect and supervisor of buildings have been employed and that work on the new building will begin at once.

WILL INDICT MEN

THE FOOD MANIPULATORS WILL ANSWER TO DEPT OF JUSTICE.

WILSON SUPPORTS MOVE

Says There Is No Reason For High Prices of Food, And For the Fuel Shortage.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The wholesale indictment of alleged food manipulators by the Department of Justice is forecasted today. It was learned that at a cabinet meeting yesterday the President made it very plain that he was convinced that there was no reason for the high prices of food, especially as the shortage of both food and fuel was utterly inexcusable.

WILL TAKE OATH SUNDAY

President Wilson Will Have Private Ceremony on March 4—Will Make Address On Monday.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Plans for President Wilson's inauguration, hitherto indefinite and confused because March 4 falls on Sunday, were much cleared today by official announcement that the usual special session of the senate will be called for March 5 to consider nominations. This will permit the inauguration of the vice-president in the senate chamber, as is the custom, with all the attendant elaborate ceremonies.

President Wilson himself, it was also announced, will take an oath of office privately in the White House Sunday, March 4. It was not made clear whether he has decided to take the oath again at the public open air ceremonies on the plaza at the capitol on March 5, or whether he will merely make the ceremony the occasion for delivering his inaugural address.

SCHUMANN-HEINK INJURED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Feb. 24.—Madame Schumann-Heink, the famous contralto, was seriously injured here today when a street car struck ataxicab in which she was riding.

LEAVES PROPERTY TO WIFE.

Clark Andrews' Will Filed in Probate Court Today.

The property of Clark Andrews, who died February 16, it all left to his wife, Louisa M. Andrews, until her death or re-marriage. In either case the property is to be equally divided among the children.

These are the terms of Mr. Andrews' will, which was filed in probate court today, and which is dated January 23, 1896. He names Mrs. Andrews executrix of his will.

KANSAS STEEL PLANT BURNS.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 24.—The plant of the Steel Fixture Manufacturing Company was destroyed by fire this morning with a loss of $250,000.

"THE FREEDOM OF THE SEAS."

—Donahey in Cleveland Plain Dealer.

COUNTY TAX LIST READY

Assessed Valuation of Personal Property Was $3,589,661 — Real Estate $11,984,900.

The total assessed valuation of the personal property in Nodaway county from June 1916, made for taxing purposes in 1917, was $3,589,661, according to the report just completed in the office of County Clerk Fred Yeomans.

The total assessed valuation of real estate in the county was $11,984,900.

The personal property is divided as follows and has the following valuation:

15,291 horses valued at $586,706; average valuation $38.36; 3,088 mules, valued at $139,520; average valuation, $45.16; 44,687 cattle at $650,496; avrage valuation, $14.55; 5,999 sheep at $7,813; average valuation, $1.39; 33,956 hogs, at $95,084; avrage valuation, $2.80; all other livestock, 468, valued at $8,710. Money, notes and bonds, $1,174,561. All other personal property, $557,505. Bank stock assessed, less real estate, $469,266.

The real estate assessed was as follows: 553,509.39 acres with an average of $17.93. Town lots valued at $2,056,625.

AUSTRIA WILL BACK GERMANY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, Feb. 24.—Austria will back the German submarines in their warfare, regardless of the consequences, says a dispatch from Munich today, quoting a newspaper.

Mrs. Nelle Alden will go to Pickering to spend Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Young.

H. S. LOSES TO ALBANY

Puts Up Game Fight, But Makes Only 21 Points to Their Opponents' 35.

The High School team put up a game fight in the game at Albany last night but was defeated by a score of 35-21. The game was much closer than was expected, as the same team defeated Maryville here by 23 points. When it is remembered that the team was playing on a strange court last night and that the men were not in the best of condition, the team must be praised for holding their opponents to a fourteen point lead.

The game was slow and rough. Nineteen fouls were called on Albany and twelve on Maryville. Wier of St. Joseph was the referee. Eleven of Albany's points were turned into points for Maryville, Egley tossing in eight and Holmes three. Egley and Martin made all of the field goals for Maryville, Egley caging four and Martin one.

The team started the game with the regular line-up. About five minutes before the end of the game Condon was substituted for Egley and Pickens for Martin.

The last game of the trip will be played tonight at King City, and the team will return home Sunday. The result of tonight's game may be had by calling the Democrat-Forum after 10 o'clock.

GIVE OUT NEW ARMY PLAN

War Department Makes Public Universal Service and Training to Be Effective Soon.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The war department yesterday made public a synopsis of the army general staff universal service and training plan, which was also sent to congress with estimates of cost and a detailed outline for a bill to carry it into effect.

The main essentials of the plan are:

One year of military training for all boys in their nineteenth year, except those exempted for specified reasons.

Exemption to be extended to those physically or mentally unfit and those who are the sole support of otherwise destitute dependents.

Training to consist of eleven months during the first year and two weeks during the second and third years of a reservist's liability.

War service to be required of all who have been trained in the first and second reserve, the first reserve duty to extend over a period of four years and one month after training, and second reserve duty for seven years. At the conclusion of service in organized reserve, the men would remain liable for duty until they reach the age of forty-five

In case of war the reserves would be called out in their order, but further exemptions of a temporary character would be granted to those who have become the sole support of destitute dependents, after training had been completed, and those whose position in civil branches of federal or state government are indispensable to the conduct of war.

AN EXTRA SESSION

THE REPUBLICAN LEADERS WILL ATTEMPT TO FORCE ONE.

RESENT WILSON'S STAND

Are Angry Because He Does Not Inform Them of Progress of International Affairs.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 24.—That the International crisis may become a football of politics was the opinion freely expressed in administration circles today. The leading Republican senators admit that they desire to force an extra session while followers of the President insist that he is prepared to make any sacrifice to get Congress off his hands. Members of both houses are dividing into camps with the result that while three weeks ago the President had almost the whole of Congress behind him, today the contrary is the case. The situation is due in part to the President's failure to inform Congress of the progress of international affairs.

Republicans Won't Give In.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The Republican fillibuster against the Administration emergency bill in the senate shows no signs of abatement today. Both sides are prepared to make a fight for their way. The leaders had their cots made up and were prepared to spend the night at the capitol if necessary.

Will Move Munition Factories.

Washington, Feb. 24.—With the president ready to appear before Congress to ask additional power to cope with the international situation growing out of Germany's submarine warfare, the official announcement came today that the work of standardizing the industrial plants already offered for the use of the government in case of need, was nearing completion, and whether war comes or not, it was definitely decided that the munition factories of the country must be moved inland.

160 SHIPS LOST UP TO FEB. 1.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Feb. 24.—The British steamship, Grenadier, has been sunk with a loss of seven lives. Lloyds also announced that the steamer, Trojan Prince, was also destroyed by a submarine. This brings the total score to February 1 up to 160. Another announcement was made of the loss of seven Dutch ships that were sunk by submarines. It is believed that the crews escaped.

THREE NORWEGIAN SHIPS SUNK.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—The sinking of three Norwegian ships by German submarines was officially reported today. From competent sources it was also learned that there has not been a German submarine sunk since the ruthless warfare began.

RAIDER IN INDIAN OCEAN.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Tokio, Feb. 24.—A german sea raider, invading the Indian Ocean, has already sunk at least two ships, both British, say the Japanese newspapers.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; rising temperature Sunday and northwest and extreme northeast portions tonight.

NOTICE, G. A. R.

Members of G. A. R. and old soldiers are requested to meet at the post rooms Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock, to attend morning service at Christian church.

J. D. Dickerson, S. V.

Notice—

Having purchased the E. W. Ryks Plumbing Company we earnestly solicit the patronage of his old customers, we also appeal to our friends for their patronage.

TINDALL and SMITH Plumbing Company.

Plenty of Fun for the Men but None for the Girls, Says She.

The Maryville Commercial Club has been requested by a young woman of Maryville to aid the young women of the town in devising some means by which they may spend their spare hours in a pleasant manner. She complains that there are plenty of places where men may amuse themselves, but none are provided for women. Here is her letter:

"Manager of Maryville Commercial Club, Maryville, Mo.

"Dear sir:—I wish to ask for your information and assistance in regard to starting a place of all kinds of intertainment for the young ladies of Maryville. There are no kind of amusements for the young ladies of Maryville except the skating rink, dance halls and picture shows.

Some think it a disgrace to be seen dancing or skating and they soon get tired of attending picture shows. There is the billard room, pool halls and the bowling alley for the young men. It is not right to have so many amusement places for the young men and nothing for the young ladies.

It could be arranged that these young ladies could be members of this place and each one pay so much a month and charge the ones that would not be members so much for admittance. Or else have someone put up the money and charge every young lady for admittance. Let it be allowed that the young ladies may take their gentlemen friends with them instead of walking the town of Maryville or staying in a room at home together Then there would be better young people in this town.

For the amusements have music, games, card playing and dancing for the ones that dance. Hive the opening hours from 3:30 until 6:00 and from 7:30 until 10:00. Appoint some elderly lady to keep order and watch to see that there is nothing taking place that is not proper.

I am a young business girl, have lived here for ten years, and think it is time something is started for the young ladies. I will not sign my name to this but if the Commercial Club will help the young ladies get a start with it, I will be glad to appear before the officers and talk it over with them.

If you consider this, publish a piece in the Saturday's Democrat-Forum about it. I will get a paper and if I see anything in it about this I will appear at the Commercial Club room some time Monday."

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We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Lucian F. Yowell as a candidate for assessor of Polk township on the Democratic ticket subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

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We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Henry M. Souers for assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of L. L. Holbrook for assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector for Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

C. L. GANN.

FOR COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of B. M. Chandler for Collector for Polk township, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector for White Cloud Township, subject to the action of the Republican township convention

LEE C. BURNS.

FOR TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of John Halasey for township trustee for Polk township, subject to the decision of the Democrati convention.

FOR CONSTABLE.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of W. A. Townsend for constable of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

A GOOD ROADS ARGUMENT

Fire Threatens to Burn Up Business Section of Town — Highways Saved It.

A new argument for good roads was recently furnished by a severe fire at Jersey Shore, Pa. This fire threatened to burn up the business section of the town, for the local water-works furnished water under a pressure inadequate to fight a real conflagration.

The town's fire department, supplemented by companies from the neighboring towns could do little because of this low pressure. Help was summoned from the city of Williamsport, sixteen miles distant, and in thirty-eight minutes after the call was received, a large automobile engine from that place had reached the scene and its powerful pumps saved the town.

In the old days of horse drawn equipment it would have been necessary to take the engine to the railroad track, load it on a car, hunt up a locomotive, make the run over the railway as well as the train service would permit and then unload the equipment at the place needing help. All this might possibly be done in 38 minutes, but there is very little probability of it.

Under the new conditions, a road may be the means of saving a burning town; if bad, it delays the needed help, and if good it means safety. In the Pennsylvania case the read was not a good one and it was not a bad one, either. About half a mile has been improved, but the remainder is nothing but a hard shale road kept in as good condition as possible with the materials at hand.

The maintenance of the road, says a bulletin of the American Highway association, is what saved Jersey Shore from greater loss, for persons familiar with fire-fighting agree that every minute saved in checking the spread of a conflagration is equivalent to the saving of a large financial loss.—American City.

STATE NEWS.

Springfield, Feb. 24.—The Springfield Automobile show closed its three-day exhibit at Convention hall today. The show was a big success, hundreds of visitors from towns within a radius of 100 miles of this city having witnessed the exhibit.

SOLD FOR $523 A HEAD.

Cameron, Feb. 24.—One hundred and sixty-five Hereford cattle were sold for $86,275, or $523 a head, on the farm of J. E. Logan here.

ISSUES CALL FOR AVIATORS.

St. Louis, Feb. 24.—Following receipt of authorization from the government at Washington, Commander C. F. Schwartz of the Missouri Naval Reserve has issued a call for aviators. He has been authorized to send a certain number to the government aviation field for instruction in the art of flying.

MANY LIQUOR HOUSES TO CLOSE.

Kansas City, Feb. 24.—Dozens of local and other Western Missouri liquor mail order houses will be forced to shut down when the Reed "bone dry" liquor bill, now awaiting President's signature, becomes a law, it was freely predicted here today.

Since Colorado, Oklahoma and Kansas went into the "dry" column, local liquor dealers have supplied these three states. Kansas City dealers have shipped millions of dollars worth of liquor yearly into prohibition states.

SPRINGFIELD CHAPT. CELEBRATE

Springfield, Feb. 24.—The Springfield chapter of the Sons of the Revolution were to hold its annual banquet at the Springfield club tonight. Members of the Rachel-Donelson chapter of the Daughters of the American revolution are to be the guests of honor.

Dr. James W. Shannon of the State Normal school will deliver the principal address of the evening.

FOURTH NOW AT FORT RILEY.

Will Remain at Station About Six Days Says the Commanders.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

Fort Riley, Kan., Feb. 24.—The Fourth Missouri infantry, from Laredo, Tex., detrained here early yesterday and went into quarters at the military reservation preparatory to demobilization. The Fourth was the last unit of the Missouri troops to leave the border.

Mustering out officers, after having talked to the regimental commanders, reduced to six days the length of time they expected the Missouri regiment to remain here. The change was based upon reports that the men had been examined physically and much of the government property checked over before the regiment left the border.

Secretary E. M. Claypool received word today from Prof. T. B. Maulding that the Fourth Regiment band would leave for home about March 1. There will be about twenty-five boys in the party that comes to Maryville for the celebration.

The illuminated flag is now in position in the balcony of the court house and will be lighted every evening until after the celebration is over.

Byergo Baby Dies.

Harold Afton, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Byergo, was born February 17, 1917,

The home he had come to brighten and the hearts that were to be made happy were so soon left in sadness and sorrow by his short stay. Funeral services Sunday at the M E Church, South, presided over by Rev. O. E. Lockart, with burial at Graves cemetery.—Guilford Times.

David Cornett Announces.

David Cornett wishes to announce his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for constable, subject to the wishes of his party at the next election.

Miss Bessie Bryden of Macon, arrived in Maryville last night to visit for a few days with Miss Mary Heffner.

Margaret Heffern of Parnell will visit over Sunday with Miss Hazel Miller.

S. A. Black of Drummond, Idaho, is spending a few days the guest of W. W. Davenport of near Quitman.

Mrs. John Herron has returned from Palestine, Tex., where she has been spending the winter.

Sam Hutchison and G. S. Sewell of Graham are in Maryville today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lanning of Hopkins are in Maryville on business today.

D. E. Hotchkin went to Skidmore today on business.

Will Linville of Skidmore is a Maryville visitor today.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ Scientist.

First Reader, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend.

Second Reader, Mrs. George Pickens.

206 South Main street.

Sunday school at 9:45.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock.

Subject of lesson sermon, "Mind."

No Sunday night service.

Midweek prayer services at 8 o'clock Wednesday night.

Reading room in Michau building, over Townsend grocery. Open from 2 till 5 o'clock on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

Every one welcome to the reading room and to all the services.

First Baptist.

T. H. Wiles, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Morning worship at 11.

Sermon subject, "Evolution of Grace."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.

Evening services at 7:30.

Sermon subject, "Devolution of Sin."

First Methodist.

Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Morning worship at 10:45.

Sermon subject, "A Servant and His Master."

Epworth League at 6:30.

Evening service at 7:30.

Sermon subject, "Where Christianity Fails."

There will be special music at both services by the chorus choir.

First Christian.

C. Emerson Miller, paster.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Morning service at 10:45.

Quartet, "The Messiah of Nations."

Offertory, "We hold in Grateful Memory," (John Phillip Sousa).

Anthem, "Recessional," (Reginald De Koven).

Sermon, "Washington and Patriotism," the pastor.

Christian Endeavor at 6:45.

Evening service at 7:30.

Anthem, "Awake My Soul to Joyful Lays."

Offertory anthem, "The Savior's Invitation" (Challinor).

Sermon, "The Parable of the Faithless Wives," the pastor.

First Presbyterian.

S. A. Coile, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45.

Morning worship at 11.

Sermon subject, "Pay Me That Thou Owest."

The C. C. Circle will meet at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Christian Endeavor at 6:45.

Evening Worship at 7:30.

Sermon subject, "The Crisis."

Solo, Mrs. E. T. Rasmussen.

South Methodist Church.

R. C. Holliday, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Morning worship, 10:45.

Sermon subject, "St. Paul's Vision."

Epworth League at 6:30.

Evening service at 7:30.

Sermon by pastor.

Every member of the church is urged to be present at the morning service.

St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Rev. Father Odilo, O. S. B., pastor.

First mass at 8:00.

High mass at 10:00.

Afternoon service, rosary and benediction at 2:30.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor.

First mass at 8:00.

High mass at 10:30.

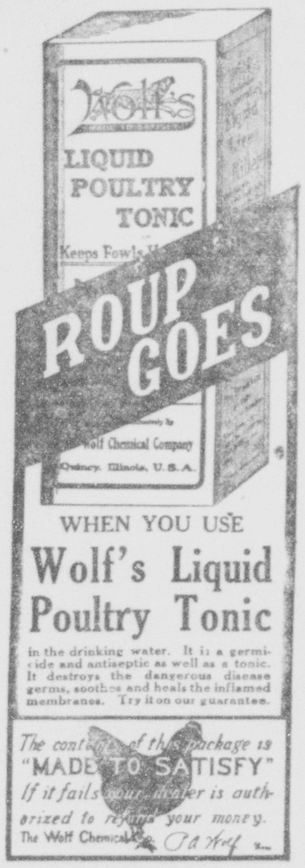
Evening services, devotions and benediction, at 7:30.

PROTEST SOFT DRINK TAX

Missouri Manufacturers Appear Before Ways and Means Committee Against Latest Measure.

Jefferson City, Feb. 24.—Missouri soft drink manufacturers appeared befort the House Ways and Means committee this week to voice their protest against the bill providing for a tax on non-intoxicating beverages. At the same time the committee will take up the Carrington bill, a companion of the soft drink measure introduced in the Senate by Walter Goodson, and which to some extent, eliminates the provisions which the manufacturers have declared confiscatory.

It is generally predicted that the original bills calling for a tax on soft drinks will not be passed as introduced at the Governor's request. In addition, members of the senate and house declare that they have no desire to pass a measure which might be thrown out in court on the ground of confiscation.



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Is God Your Friend? Then Visit His Home. Go to Church.

WATCH the long line of people entering church on Sunday. Isn't it a fact that they are really the worth while people in the community? If you are a business man, don't you prefer dealing with a man who is a CONSISTENT CHURCHGOER rather than with a man who never goes to church? You wouldn't hesitate to INVITE ANY AND ALL OF THESE PEOPLE entering church to your home.

A MAN WHO GOES TO CHURCH CANNOT GO WRONG VERY LONG. A COMMON EXPRESSION IS THAT SOME PEOPLE GO TO CHURCH TO KEEP UP APPEARANCES. THAT MAY BE TRUE. BUT THE FACT THAT A MAN WANTS THE COMMUNITY IN WHICH HE LIVES TO THINK THAT HE IS GOOD AND GOD FEARING SHOWS THAT HE WANTS TO BE GOOD. HE WANTS TO ENJOY THE RESPECT OF HIS FELLOWS. WHILE THERE MAY BE SOME HYPOCRITES IN THE CHURCH, IT IS NO EXAGGERATION TO STATE THAT THE GREAT MAJORITY OF CHURCHGOERS ARE HONEST, UPRIGHT CITIZENS.

There is something basically wrong with a man who, while professing a belief in a Supreme Being, fails to take the opportunity the church affords to WORSHIP THAT SUPREME BEING. If you have a dear friend and you pass his house every day without dropping in to see him, you would not blame that man for DOUBTING THE SINCERITY of your friendship.

Do you wish God to DOUBT YOUR FRIENDSHIP? Do you want to LOSE HIM AS A FRIEND. If you don't, drop into his house AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK.

Show that you are sincere in your belief in God by GOING TO CHURCH next Sunday.

THEN GO TO CHURCH EVERY SUNDAY.

HAS VALUABLE COLLECTION

J. C. Piper of Elmo Has Rare Coin and Paper Money Which is Valued At $1,250.

J. C. Piper of Elmo, a coin and stamp collector writes that he now has a collection of coins and paper money valued at $1,250. It contains the following United States coins and paper money:

Forty-three silver dollars of different dates from 1795 to 1873.

Twelve trade dollars of different dates, 1872 to 1884.

Fourteen different 50-cent pieces dated from 1795 to 1839.

Forty-two different 25-cent pieces of different dates, 1805 to 1859.

Twenty-cent pieces of four different dates.

Dimes from 1805 to 1837.

Very rare 5-cent pieces of ten different dates, value $2.50.

Silver 3-cent pieces of ten different dates.

Three-cent nickel pieces.

Two-cent pieces, nine different dates.

Twenty different half-cent pieces dated from 1794 to 1857.

Sixty large cents from 1794 to 1855. He also has sixteen different Colonial coins issued by the colonial states from 1765 to 1791, valued at $86.50.

His collection of foreign coins contains the following:

Eighteen foreign coins the size of our silver dollar, from eighteen different countries.

Fifty foreign copper coins of all countries.

One hundred and fifty silver coins from all foreign countries.

Besides these, Mr. Piper has Colonial and foreign paper money and some fractional currency. He has state bank bills of seventy-five varieties and from about twenty-two different states.

LIFE IS A MIRROR.

For life is a mirror of king and slave,
'Tis just what we are and do,
Then give to the world the best that you have
And the best will come to you.

Neils are Moving.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neil will move to Perry, Okla., next week. They recently sold thier farm and will move to a farm located near Perry.

SAVE THE PIECES

We can duplicate a broken lense, no matter where you purchased your glasses.

Just a small piece of the broken lense and we can duplicate it, giving you exactly the same correction as you had before

In case you lost the entire lense, we still could fit a new one. Our Optician could tell you the proper lense you should wear and immediately put it in.

Save Time and Trouble—BUY IT IN MARYVILLE!!!!

THE HOLMES
Jewelry Company
MARYVILLE, MO.
WEST SIDE SQUARE

T. J. Smith of Bethany will arrive in Maryville tonight to visit his sister, Mrs. James Colvin.

Big Profits In Automobile Stocks

JUST THINK what it means to have been one of the fortunate investors who bought stock in the big companies of today when they first organized!

You did not have the opportunity you say, but, would you have had the foresight and courage to buy? It is more than likely you would have said, "I will wait to see if they succeed." Now that they have succeeded, what about the price and profit you will have to pay the original investor for his stock? For instance, see what the man who bought $100.00 worth of Reo stock has received in cash and stock dividends.

He receives $1,136.00 in cash and $1,100.00 in stock on the $100.00 originally invested. The man who had the courage five years ago to buy Paige-Detroit stock can sell his stock today at a rice, which, with the dividends received, will show a return of $2,300.00 on $100.00 originally invested.

You say "Yes, but that day is gone." Not so, the day for big profits is ahead and not behind us. **The automobile manufacturer today has the advantage of the mistakes made by the pioneers in the business.** Almost all automobile manufacturers buy some of their parts, and many purchase all their parts and assemble their cars. Such is the case with the Macon Car. The Timken Axles, Wagner Starter, Stewart-Warner Vacuum Feed, Zenith Carburetor and Sterling Motor, as well as all other parts used in the Macon Car, are guaranteed by the manufacturers.

Reo Stock Purchased in 1914

Amount	Stock	Cash Dividend	Stock Dividend
1905—$	100	$ 10.00	$
1905—	100	37.50	50.00
1907—	150	136.50	50.00
1908—	200	160.00	
1909—	200	120.00	200.00
1910—	400	120.00	
1911—	400	12.00	
1912—	400	80.00	
1913—	400	40.00	
1914—	400	150.00	200.00
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Stills Entertain.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Still entertained with a two-course dinner in honor of Mr. Still's sixty-sixth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Still was assisted by her granddaughter, Miss Minnie Mayes. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mike Still and Mrs. Fred Fox, of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. James Mayes, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Still, Morgan Still, Everett Still, Ray Still, Cecil Mayes, Buster Fox, Misses Minnie, Lillie Hollie, Nina and Opal Mayes, and Katherine Still.

Surprise For Mr. Porterfield.

Mrs. George Porterfield planned and successfully carried out a surprise in honor of Mr. Porterfield's fifty-sixth birthday anniversary. A short program was given by the Social Hour club after which progressive "42" was played, the highest number of games being won by Omar Strong and the least number by X. A. Lincoln. Refreshments were served during the evening to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. X. A. Lincoln and son Ernest, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Will McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Loch and daughter Miss Golda Loch, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gray and children Lowell, Lorace, Irene, Billy, Mrs. J. T. Hanna and Mr. and Mrs. Porterfield and daughter Cecil. The guests departed at a late hour wishing Mr. Porterfield many more happy birthdays.

Celebrate 25th Anniversary.

The Knights and Ladies of Security celebrated their twenty-fifth anniversary last night with a social at the I. O. O. F. hall. A large number of the members and their friends were present. The evening was spent in playing progressive dominoes. The following program was given; Recitations by Dorothy Allen, Esther and Homer Gile and a talk by Rev. T. H. Wiles, who explained the good done by fraternal orders. Piano solos were given by Miss Gladys Culverson, and Miss Tucker of near Ravenwood gave a splendid reading. Following was the menu served: roast beef, boiled ham, mashed potatoes, brown gravy, celery, pickles, salads, ice cream and cake.

Farewell Party for Meeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Meek, who will move soon to their new home near Clearmont, were given a farewell party Thursday night by their neighbors and friends. On account of the threatening weather there were not as many present as were expected. Music was furnished during the evening by Mr. Duff, Mr. Crandell, Mr. Meek and Mr. Thompson. A luncheon consisting of oyster soup, cake and coffee was served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice, Mr. and Mrs. James Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bolin and son, Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. Erschel Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell and son, Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. George Meek, Mr. and Mrs. John Meek, and son, Robert, and daughter, Imogene, Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Meek, and son, Robin, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sexton, Misses Helen and Alene Bolin, Hattie Thompson, Dolly Clements, Ruth Russell, Ruby Rice, Laura Hosher, Emlyn and Neola Saxton; Messrs. Charles Crandell, Ray Bartlett, Clint Duff, Ed Brunk, Clifford Rice, George Thompson, Everett Moore, Jacob Clements, John Scowden, Howard Thompson, Jimmie Meek and Charles Hoshor.

Rebekah Lodge Social Hour.

After the business session of the Rebekah lodge, which met Thursday night a program and social was given. Dainty refreshments were served to fifty-three persons. The program was as follows: song, by Harry Trullinger; reading by Clarissa Whaley; recitation by Homer Gile; recitation by Harry Trullinger; reading by Miss Ruth Miller; reading by Miss Grace Pugh; and a vocal solo by Miss Ruby Irwin.

Missionary Society Meets.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Ford on North Buchanan street. Devotions were led by Mrs. R. S. Braniger and one new member, Doctor Godby, was taken in. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. S. Thompson, Mrs. Braniger and Mrs. Brint Embree. Twenty-three members and four visitors were present. The visitors were, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Warren Jones, Mrs. L. E. Dean, and Mrs. Brint Embree.

Mrs. C. A. Loch, Hostess.

The Social Hour club met with Mrs. C. A. Loch Wednesday afternoon at her home northwest of Pickering. Roll call was answered with selections relating to Washington. Miss Golda Loch and Mrs. Ernest Stafford favored the club with several selections on the piano. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Miss Golda Loch, to the following guests and members: Mrs. Capels Wilson, Mrs. Ernest Stafford, Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. W. P. Scott, Mrs. George Porterfield, Mrs. J. F. Hanna and Mr. Leslie Hanna.

Entertain For Wallaces.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wallace, who leave soon for Norfolk, Neb., gathered at their home south of Maryville Tuesday evening and spent the time playing games. Music was furnished by Miss Lucy Carr and Mr. Wallace on the piano. Mr. Kendell represented an old negro and entertained the guests with banjo music and songs. During the evening a two-course luncheon of sandwiches, pickles, salad, pineapple ice, coffee and cake were served in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and family, who leave soon for their new home in Norfolk, Neb. At the close of the evening all sang, "God be With You 'Till We Meet Again." Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Yates, Mrs. Mary McNeal of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carr, Mr. and Mrs. John Rickman, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Kendell, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lyle and daughter, Esterline, Mr. and Mrs. Clate Carr, Dave Lehman, Bertha Lehman, Lucy Carr and brother, Merle and Clifford Lyle, Daniel and Leo Meyers, Miss May Doran, Mary Ellen and Doris Carr, Gilbert Crossan, Pearl, Lynn and Gale Wallace.

Farewell Party For Dinsmore's.

The members of the Christian church of Gaynor, gave a farewell party on Thursday evening, February 22 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dinsmore, who are moving away from the Gaynor neighborhood. Music and games furnished amusements for the evening and at a late hour dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Will Shelman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Florea, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stickel, Mr. and Mrs. John Gerard, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Shelman, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Florea, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Will Killion, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dinsmore, Misses Leta Hantz, Addie Killion, Stella Lawson, Kate Curry, Gladys Lawson, Laura Gerard, Bertha Riley, Ruby Riley, Lucile Stickel, Crystal Morton, Mabel Shelman, Moselle Dinsmore, Audrey Dinsmore, Doris Morton, Neva Dinsmore, Jean Florea, Lloyd Killion, Ernest Gerard, Elmer Riley, Carl Killion, Earl Gerard, Bryl Montgomery, Irvin Shelman, Harley Gerard, Orvil Morton, Ralph Dinsmore, Harold Stickel, Marvin Dinsmore, Donald Morton, Loren and Harold Hantz.

For Mrs. Wolfers.

Mrs. William Wallis, Sr., entertained with a luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Sr., of Hopkins. The decorations were all in pink. About twenty-five guests were present.

Miss Owen Hostess.

Miss Gladys Owen, assisted by her mother, Mrs. John Aley, entertained at 1 o'clock dinner today. Her guests were, Miss Adah Ware of Barnard, Mr. Mulland and Mrs. Wright of Rushville, Mo.

Farewell.

The Woman's Bible class of the Baptist church met yesterday afternoon to bid farewell to Mrs. L. P. James, who leaves next week for Gentry county to make her home. During the four years she has lived in Maryville, Mrs. James has been teacher of the Bible class for three and a half years. Mrs. Anderson Craig made a talk to the class which was followed by short talks by several of the other women present. The members of the class presented Mrs. James and also Mrs. Albert Gorten, a class member who is moving away from Maryville, with a parting gift. Mrs. Eugene Ogden made a very appropriate presentation speech and spoke of the faithfulness of Mrs. James' work as a teacher. Mrs. T. H. Wiles was the only guest present. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. G. B. Holmes and Mrs. W. A. Burris. Before leaving for their home all present sang, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Bacile Michelson, Host.

Bacile Michelson entertained the club at "The Pines," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Heber Michelson, south of Bedison, on Washington's birthday, with a Washington birthday party.

Flags, tiny hatchets, pictures and other decorations suggestive to Washington's birthday were used in decorating.

The hours were pleasantly spent in "hunting the hatchet," "crossing the Delaware," and other games appropriate for the day.

The prize for finding the most hatchets was awarded to Hugh Keenan.

Red, white and blue were the predominating colors in the luncheon. The guest favors were tiny silk flags.

The host was assisted in entertaining by E. Cloe Davis.

The club which was formed some weeks ago is literary and entertaining in its purpose. The members are, Mary E. Coulter, Cuba Thompson Sue Young, Opal Snowden, Laura Snyder, Emma Jensen, Jessie and Mayme Thompson, Lola Coulter, and E. Clo e Davis, and Messrs. Karl Swearingen, Hugh Keenan, Leo and Fred Barseball, Fred Coulter, T. C. and Ray Davis, Bacile Michelson, Ferol, Ed and Ray Thompson, Lehman and Henry Hansen.

Auffarts Surprised.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben J. Auffart, who live four miles southeast of Maryville, were given a farewell surprise party Wednesday night at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Auffart are soon moving to Maryville. All the women brought well-filled baskets and an elaborate luncheon was served. Various kinds of games helped to pass the evening away. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams and children, Ed and Annie, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilmes and children, Rose, George, Hubert, Willie Frances and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heitman and children, Joseph, Mary, Leo and Bennie, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heitman and baby, Emma, Mr. and Mrs. John Breedlove and children, Andrew and Theodore, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, Tom Kane, Frank and Joe Meyers, Misses Anna and Lizzie Meyers, George Auffart, Joe and Basil Auffart of Parnell, Leo Auffart, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Auffart and children, Marie and Evelyn and Fred Meyers of Jasper, Ind.

Mrs. Lewis White Entertains.

Mrs. Lewis White entertained the Herron Homemaking Circle at her home west of town Friday afternoon. Flags, tiny hatchets and other decorations suggestive to Washington's birthday were used in decorating. A patriotic program which had been planned by the hostess was given, and several musical numbers were given by Mrs. Cast. Assisting the hostess in serving were Mrs. J. A. Spiers, Mrs. Cast, Misses Mary Taylor and Esther Niedel. Red, white and blue were the predominating colors in the luncheon. Guests present were: Mrs. J. J. Pyles, Mrs. J. A. Spiers, Mrs. Robert Pyles, and Mrs. Cast. Members present were, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, Mrs. Frank Hull, Mrs. Albert Appleby, Mrs. I. E. Tebow, Mrs. Harve Cockayne, Mrs. Ed Vulgamontt, Mrs. Ernest McDowell, Mrs. Lewis Rogers, Mrs. J. N. Manley, Mrs. S. E. Fisher and Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Esther Niedel and Miss Esther Tebow. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, March 7. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor.

Miss Gladys Carr Weds.

Miss Gladys Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Carr of Hamilton, Mo., and Archie Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Barrett of Skidmore, were married about 10 o'clock this morning at the home of Rev. Reuben Barrett of Skidmore. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett left for Iowa for a short visit with relatives. They will make their home on a farm west of Skidmore.

Parnell Art Club Party.

A committee composed of Mrs. H. O. Gray, Mrs. D. T. Morgan, Mrs. W. A. Spoonemore and Mrs. W. M. Morgan entertained the Parnell Art club and their families at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morgan. This is the last of a series of evening meetings of the Art club. The evening was spent in playing somerset and a dainty two-course luncheon was served by the committee. Member guests present were: (Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kennedy and sons, John and Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spoonemore and sons, Virgil and Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Addy, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Breit and son, Frederick, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Felton and son, Austin, Mr and Mrs. J. H. Hutchison and son Clarence, and daughter, Myrtie, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Roof and son, Charles Howard, and Quete and Drexel Morgan, Miss Bessie Stoner, Mr. and Mrs. E. Roof and son, Halden of Blockton, Ia., Ted Sanders of Sheridan and M. E. Ford of Maryville.

To Honor Dr. Ricketts.

Siren Lodge, No. 58, colored, will hold a memorial service tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Anderson building, Sixth and Main streets, to honor the late Dr. M. O. Ricketts.

B. F. Smart, W. M.

To Leave Soon For Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wallace and three children, Pearl, Lynn and Gale, will leave about March 5 for their new home in Norfolk, Neb. They have sold their farm south of Maryville and have bought one near Norfolk.

Here From Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Rich of Burlington, Colo., are visiting with friends in Maryville. Mr. Rich formerly lived five miles south of Maryville. He has a good word for Colorado.

Mrs. W. W. Davenport and Mrs. W. A. White returned last night from a two-days visit in Kansas City.

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NORMAL NOTES

(By Ross McReynolds).

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The last of the tournament basketball games was played Wednesday evening. Laughlin defeated Hubbard, 20 to 7; and Ferguson defeated Lyle, 25 to 16. The line-ups were: Laughlin (Capt.), Brown, Pugh, Nichols and Wilson. Hubbard (Capt.), Peter, Hix, Gray and C. Sawyers. Ferguson (Capt.), Halasey, Siddons, Don Hall and Strader. Lyle (Capt.), Gannon, Clam, E. Bird and Todd.

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The Y. W. C. A. gave a program at assembly Thursday morning. It consisted of songs sung by hidden singers and persons acting the parts suggested by the song. They were: "The Rosary," "Annie Laurie," "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny," "Sweet Hour of Prayer," "Sweet and Low," and "The Star Spangled Banner." The reflector was used to good advantage, light from it being thrown upon the figure in pantomime.

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The literary societies elected officers for the ensuing quarter Thursday evening. They are: Excelsior—President, Warren Wilson; vice-president, Opal Combs; secretary, Oma Trotter, treasurer; Leslie Elam, sergeant-at-arms, Ruth Miller, and sponsor, Miss Hunt.

Philomathean—President, A. M. Darnell; vice-president, Mary West; secretary, Cleo Leson; treasurer, Lewis Hunt; and sergeant-at-arms, James Halasey.

Eurekan—President, Harold Staples; vice-president, Mahala Saville; secretary, Miss Greimer; treasurer, Rose McReynolds; sergeant-at-arms, Ernest White.

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The Senior-Sophomore party Thursday night was enjoyed by all. It was a colonial party. Many of the costumes were indeed creations of art. The program was also colonial. The first part was shadow representations of George Washington cutting down the cherry tree, the duel between Hamilton and Burr, Captain John Smith pouring water down the man's sleeve, Making of the flag by Betsy Ross and the scene between John Alden and Priscilla. After a few numbers by the orchestra the "Star Spangled Banner," was played, whereupon a girl appeared and waved the flag and the students and faculty gave the military salute. The Virginia Reel was danced for awhile and the King and Queen, Mr. Hanson and Mrs. Rickenbrode, looked the couples over and awarded the prize for the best costumes. They were awarded to Verne Harris and Mildred Osman. After this refreshments were served in the corridor.

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LOST—Bunch of keys. Finder please return to Democrat-Forum. 23-26*

LOST—Heavy automobile robe last Friday on South Buchanan. Return to U. S. Wright. 23-26

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A few pieces of furniture cheap. Leaving town. Call 270 Hanamo. 22-24

FOR SALE—Good 3-year-old mare, weight about 1,500. J. Ward Stevenson, Far. 18-12. 22-24*

FOR SALE—A sideboard in good condition. Call at M. E. Flats. J. L. Tilson. 21-24

FOR SALE—2 residence properties, 7-room house, 3 blocks south of the square, 5-room house at Vine and First streets. Will make terms to suit purchaser. Call Dr. K. R. Malotte. 22-24

FOR SALE—Cheap, a modern 5-room bungalow; must be sold at once; possession March 1. Would take in part payment some young horses. Farmers phone 225. 23-26

FOR SALE—24 head draft horses and mares, 3 and 4 years old. Mares in foal; 20 head cows, springers; 260-acre farm if sold before the first of March. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 16tf.

HAVING decided to move to Colorado, I will sell at public auction Thursday, March 1, on J. B. Edwards' farm, 4 miles east and 1 mile north of Clearmont, Mo., livestock, corn, hay, household goods, farm implements; also my 40-acre farm. John W. Edwards. Pence Bros., Aucts. 21-27*

FOR SALE—Some good Duroc gilts, will farrow in March and April. J. L. Clayton, Pickering, Mo., Farmers phone 10-17. 24-27

FOR SALE—Some good mixed corn at 92c, to be moved any time within ten days. Wyne Judah, second house east fair grounds. 24-27*

FOR SALE—Team young mares, coming 3 and 4 years old, sound. Dale Marsh, Farmers phone 51-15. 24-2*

FOR SALE—Clover seed, $11.00 per bu. Victor H. Wray, Orrsburg. 24-27*

FOR SALE—Tables, vacuum cleaner, iron bed, chairs, and kitchen cabinet for sale Mrs. James, Hanamo phone 2295. 24-27

FOR SALE—Ringlet Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, 15 for 75c; 100 for $4.00. Baby chicks, 15c each. Mrs. Ira Dever, Farmers phone 51-20. 24-27*

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WANTED—Experienced farm hand, married man. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 23-1*

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

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PATTERSON WILL FILED

Ravenwood Man Leaves Property to Be Divided Among Wife and Daughters.

The will of Charles E. Patterson, who died at his home near Ravenwood February 19, was filed today in the probate court. He leaves 120 acres of land and all of his household goods, money, notes and other personal property to his wife, and the remainder of his real estate to be equally divided among his three daughters, Florence C. Hicks, Grace Pierpoint and Lottie E. Wells, and his granddaughter, Rachel Marshall. He makes a special bequest to his granddaughter.

His wife, Mary E. Patterson, is named executrix. The will is dated January 25, 1906, and is signed by William J. Falk, Joe Jackson, Jr., and J. B. Newman.

Eickholt Child Dies.

Lawrence, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Eickholt, died at 7 o'clock last night at his home following one weeks' illness of measles. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the St. Benedict church, conducted by Rev. Fr. Frowin. Burial was in the St. Columbia cemetery.

NEWS FROM ALL NORTHWEST MISSOURI

The Atchison county records at Rock Port show that the farm loans, now in force in that county amount to $2,700,000. The Tarkio Avalanche raises the query: How much of this money was given in for taxation, county state or national?

Of the three heroes who swam the Tallahatchie river under a hail of Confederate bullets to regain possession of a supply boat which was of vital importance in one of the big battles of the Civil War, there is now but one survivor—James Gaffney of northern Holt county, says the Fairfax Forum. Since their daring deed together which won them three gold medals for distinguished bravery, the three men were close friends. The first to die was Ambrose Porter, who passed away at Phelps City about a year ago. The second, Joseph O'Neal, died recently near Fairfax.

The famous Andrew county farm women's organization, the Willing Workers has arranged for a visit to their community by State Superintendent Uel W. Lamkin, who will assist them in opening a campaign for rural school consolidation and for the forming of canning clubs and corn growing clubs. Success in the near future is predicted by the Savannah Reporter, for this movement toward consolidation.

A singular fate befell a team of horses on a steep hill near Camden. They were pulling a heavy load, the road was slick and one horse fell. His team mate pluckily held the entire load until the fallen horse got to his feet, then fell to the ground—not as the first horse had fallen, but in death, resulting from a bursted blood vessel.

Mr. Reuben Burnett tells us that he believes all the wheat on his farm is as dead as a door nail. However, he ought to hope for the best even if the worst comes. This thing of doing without biscuit is a very serious proposition.—Richmond Missourian.

A shotgun, left leaning against the outside of an Orrick home fell to the porch floor, was discharged and the load penetrated the door to the room within. One member of the family received two shot just over the eye and another got an even dozen in her foot.

Patrons' losses in the fire which destroyed the Mound City depot included $100 freight, $150 express and $400 baggage, says the News-Jeffersonian. All the company records were burned, the destruction of the depot was complete and only by strenuous work was the Standard Oil Co.'s supply station saved.

It was an undersized team of horses, says the Bethany Republican, with which Bert Neff brought the record load of hogs to town the other day. The single load brought $233.25 at market price.

At a single shipment, $14,000 worth of fat hogs were marketed last week by J. A. Smith & Son of near Lawson. According to the Review they struck the record price of $12.25 with two carloads, while eight other carloads sold at $12.20 a hundred pounds. The entire shipment of 480 head were of the Smiths' own feeding.

Although extreme dryness in the tobacco offered for sale last week at Dearborn brought the average price down to $15.38 a hundred pounds on the 19,525 sold, the highest price of the season — $25.25 a hundred—was paid for one basket produced by George Law,—Dearborn Democrat.

Three sheep-killing dogs did $240 damage in a flock of sheep north of Dearborn recently, and last week in St. Joseph, in the lawsuit growing out of the occurrence the owner of the 15 killed sheep was allowed $16 each in damages to be paid by the owners of the dogs.

His 52nd annual payment for subscription to the Unionville Republican was made last week by J. M. Yates, who has lived there since 1854. He became a subscriber to the paper with its first issue in 1865.

It isn't a bad idea to let your neighbor use your telephone. One day last week Jasper Neagle and wife in Putnam county, left home to attend a sale. That morning they had cleaned the ashes from the stove and left the vessel containing them on the porch. During their absence, a neighbor ran over to use the telephone and found the porch in flames—the neighborly visit being just in time to save the house.

1420-pound cow brought $113.60 at market price last week at Forest City, says the News. Her purchaser, O. A. Williams, while in the buying mood, also bought seven hogs averaging 410 pounds each at the total price of $345.14.

Miss Genie Aley of Pickering is in Maryville today.

Pickering Declamatory Contest.

Miss Dorothy McCord of the Lock School, won the gold medal at the declamatory contest at Pickering last night. The silver medal was won by Miss Massy of the Black school. Miss Scott of Glendale was the winner of the bronze medal. Lester Hinton received the $1 offered as a prize. The Maryville Conservatory of Music furnished the music for the evening. The receipts were $19.

County Court in Session.

The county court in session today set aside the petition of H. W. Montgomery, G. P. Logan, J. L. Teson and others asking that a part of the public road, east of Skidmore, be vacated. Another road case was continued, because not all of the principals in the case were present.

Twin Daughters for Sheltons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton of west of Maryville announce the birth of twin daughters, born Thursday, February 22.

Returns to Savannah.

H. A. Sawyers returned to his home in Savannah yesterday afternoon after a visit to his brothers, J. K. Sawyers and W. G. Sawyers. He was accompanied by his nephew, H. L. Sawyers.

Attachment Suit Filed.

An attachment suit was filed in the circuit court this afternoon by H. W. Garrett against Albert F. Brown. Cook & Cummins are the attorneys in the case.

Bailey Will Filed.

The will of E. M. Bailey, who died January 13, was filed in probate court today. The estate was divided among the children. Elza T. Bailey, a son, was named executor.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued today for Roy V. Peters of Red Oak, Ia., and Iva Mae Miller of Stennet, Ia.

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to move to Maryville, I will hold a public sale, at the farm known as the Phillip Kleber, 4 1-2 miles northeast of Graham and 13 miles southwest of Maryville, on

Friday, March 2nd, 1917

Beginning at 1 o'clock, the following described property:—

20 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK—Consisting of 1 pair mules coming 9 years old; family driving mare, 10 years old; Shorthorn cow coming 4-years-old; Shorthorn cow coming 3-yrs-old; 1 3-4 Jersey cow, all bred; 5 Hampshire gilts, all bred; 5 Duroc Jersey, 2 bred to farrow in March; 3 stock hogs, weight about 170 lbs; 2 Shorthorn heifer calves; Shorthorn male calf.

IMPLEMENTS AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS:—Triple feed grinder, new mower, gasoline power washing machine, nearly new; set single driving harness, china closet, library table, velvet divan, 3 dining chairs, German heater, Dandy range, the best make; Edison phonograph and 1 dozen records, nearly new

GRAINS:—200 bushels corn, 5 bushels White Cap seed corn, 150 bushels seed oats, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—$10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months with bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

A. J. COX, Auct
JOHN WILSON, Clerk

Otto A. Bleich

Public Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on the farm, 1 mile south and 1 mile east of Clearmont, Mo., on,

Tuesday, February 27

Commencing at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property:

HORSES AND MULES—1 bay horse, 4 years old, weighs 1,300, well broke; 1 driving mare, 4 years old, weighs 1,100; 2 3-year-old mules, broke, weight 1,900; 1 black mare mule, 3 years old, weight 900; 1 black mare mule, 2 years old, weight 850.

CATTLE—4 Aberdeen Angus cows, 2 of them pedigreed, all to be fresh soon; 1 3-year-old half Jersey to be fresh in April; 3 Red Polled cows, to be fresh soon; 1 Jersey cow, 5 years old, fresh; 1 red cow with calf at side; 4 coming 2-year-old heifers; 2 Angus yearling heifers; 3 Shorthorn heifers, coming yearlings; 3 steer calves; 1 Angus bull calf, eligible to register; 1 2-year-old Angus bull.

7 GILTS bred to farrow in March.

900 bushels of corn in lots to suit purchaser; 15 tons hay in barn.

1 wagon; 1 buggy; 1 set work harness; 1 cultivator; 1 corn planter; 1 lister; 1 drill; and other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over $10.00 a credit of 6 or 9 months will be given, purchaser giving a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to leave premises until terms are complied with.

Pence Bros, Auctioneers. L. M. Cummins, Clerk.

A. H. Garrett

The Young Man—Give Him This Most Useful Instruction

Teach him the great value of consistent saving, the necessity for acquiring this most useful habit while he is still young, the many advantages he will find in the future in having a savings account. Then when he is older and wiser he will thank you many times. He will appreciate the fact that he nas not been left to his own ways, but has been taught to do the thing which makes a financial success.

Once you have that young fellow regularly carrying his savings to the bank you have given him the biggest boost on the road to a successful career.

We'll co operate by giving him the best business advice which our experience has given us. We'll encourage him in his efforts.

REAL ESTATE BANK
4% On Savings Deposits

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.
Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Feb. 24.— WHEAT — May, $1.77—; July, $1.48¼.

CORN—May, 98½c; July, 98⅛c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Feb. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; no trade.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; all sold around $11.25@$12.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, none; market, weak.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 17,000; market, 5c higher; top, $13.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500;. market, weak.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Feb. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,300; market, 5c higher; top, $12.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500; market, weak.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce Co.

Butter fat, per lb	38c
Eggs, per dozen	35c
Hides, per lb	15c
Cocks	8c
Smooth Spring Chickens	16c
Hens, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c

Young Roosters according to value.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker of Barnard are among the out of town people in Maryville today.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

The fellow who does something for his town is always glad to inform you that he is a member of the commercial organization.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, February 21, 1917.

Men.

Goodman, Ray
Lockhart, J. M.
Morgan, George H.
Peterson, Heine
Peterson, Henry
Porter, Henry
Porter, Thomas
Rhea, Perry

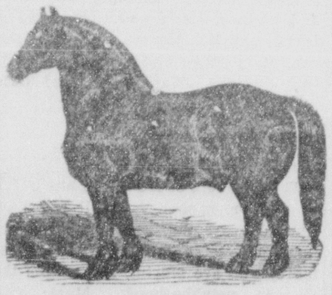
Women.

Wilson, Mrs. John

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

Respectfully,
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Horses and Mules WANTED



Will positively be at the

Star Barn

Every Saturday

Will buy draft horses, war horses, and Southern horses and mares. Also want some fat mules, any size and age.

Charles H. Roach

ANXIOUS TO BECOME CITIZEN.

Mrs. Glackner Rides 340 Miles to Get Papers, But Journey Is in Vain.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Wildwood, Mo., Feb. 24.—Mrs. Mary Glackner rode 340 miles to secure her first naturalization papers, but the journey was in vain.

Mrs. Glackner rode 20 miles over mountains to the railroad station, where she boarded a train for the 150-mile trip to St. Louis, where she was told she could not be naturalized because she is separated from her husband. She departed very sadly on her long journey back to Wildwood.

Mrs. Glackner came to this country from Austria in 1900.

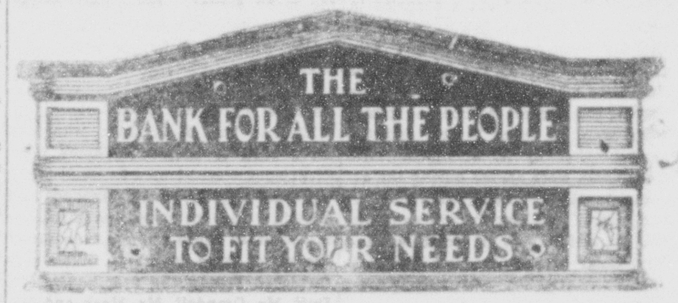
Don't sign your name to an agent's order for nursery stock when you can buy true to name stock near home. State inspected, fully guaranteed direct from the reliable Murray Nurseries of Oregon, Mo., and save agents' commissions.

There is a movement on foot to consolidate the Buckley, Millen, Maple Grove and Ford City school districts and build a 12-grade school for all at Ford City.—King City Democrat.

BUY WALL PAPER FROM
Arnett Decorating Company
The Best and Cheapest Place to Buy Wall Paper and Paints

ATTENTION FARMERS!

Now's the time to look up your tool repairing and plow repair work and get in on a 25 per cent discount all during February. This special discount for cash is good for this month only. The old prices were $2 for 4-shovel and $3 for 6-shovel sharpening and pointing. Prices February will be $1.75 and $2. Stern plows, 14, 16 and 18 inch, 25 cents each, straight. For prices on all kinds of repairing see NICK WAGNER



WE WANT YOU

WE are interested in every one of our depositors.

We want to give you the service that will help you.

We want our service to develop you.

We want you to become a part of this bank.

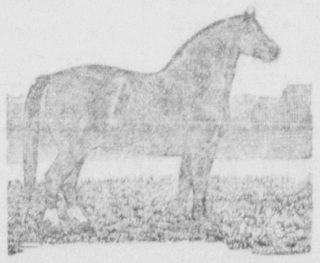
Come in and talk to us about these matters.

Farmers Trust Co.
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
Capital . . . $200,000.00

SAFETY · COURTESY · SERVICE

WANTED

HORSES, MARES and MULES



HORSES and MARES, 5 to 10 years old; 1,200 pounds up to as big as they grow. MARES 4 to 10 years old, 900 to 1,200 pounds; MULES, any size, 4 to 8 years old.

I WILL BE IN

Wilcox, Forenoon Only **Wednesday, Feb. 28**
Quitman, Afternoon Only **Wednesday, Feb. 28**

Bring in your fat HORSES and MULES. Grays must be of dark color. There is no market whatever for the long-legged, out-classed horses. The good kind is what I am after.

LEAD THEM TO ME—I do not come to town to invoice, find fault with stock or publish bids. I come to BUY. Lead them in on date named.

Frank Adams
The Old Reliable Horse Buyer